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## Flower Show Attracts Hundreds

### Home Gardeners Capture Prizes With Product Of Their Labor Of Love

Sierra Madre's gardens yielded a marvelous array of strikingly beautiful exhibits for the annual flower show staged Friday at the Congregational church and revealed the presence here of a surprisingly large number of highly skilled home gardeners. The central feature of a day of fine entertainment, the show and bazaar was rated one of the most successful in the long line of similar events held here.

At 6:30 more than two hundred people sat down to a delicious community dinner prepared and served by the society at cleverly decorated tables for which the members vied for prizes.

"Buddy Buys an Orchid," directed by Mrs. Waverly Pratt, was presented immediately after dinner and received the plaudits of the crowd, with a huge bouquet at the end for the director signifying appreciation for her efforts.

Mrs. Robert Solomon, Mrs. Emilie Smith and Carl Hart acted as judges in all divisions and awarded the following prizes:

Roses, single blossoms, first, Mrs. R. C. Copenhagen; second and third, Mrs. W. H. Braumann. Chrysanthemums, single flowers, first and second and a special first, Mrs. Charles Askew. "Mum" group, first, Mrs. Hazel James Ferguson; second, Mrs. Harriet Buckingham; third, Mrs. R. C. Copenhagen. Special arrangements, first, Mrs. R. C. Copenhagen; second, Mrs. George Morgridge; third, Mrs. W. H. Braumann. Mrs. E. E. Bacon won first prize for her beautiful Thionias, and special awards included a rare and exotic crinum lily of Mrs. C. W. Jones, and Mrs. F. Spencer for her Gallardias.

Mrs. Charles Nomura won first prize with her beautiful cascade chrysanthemums, and the large basket section winners were Mrs. E. E. Bacon, first; Mrs. Hortense Hill, second; and Mrs. F. H. Hartman, third. Small basket section winners were Mrs. E. E. Bacon, first; Mrs. C. W. Jones, second; and Mrs. Hortense Hill, third.

Gourd arrangements were in a special class and prizes went to Miss Gertrude McLellan and Mrs. Frank Naley.

In the table decorations division prizes were awarded to Miss Florence Gilmore, Mrs. Homer Glidden, Miss Gilmore for Mrs. W. S. Hull, first, second and third respectively in the novelty tables. Mrs. A. O. Pritchard won a special award with her sports table, and Mrs. Neuman Eskey was also presented with a special award for her colonial table. Miss Muriel Tarr captured first in the flower decorated tables. Miss Alice Tufts took second, and Mrs. Sidney Jewel and Miss Jessie Southers took third in this division, with a special third going to Mrs. Robert Solomon.

## Local Motorists See Many Wonders In 6,000 Mile Trip

Mrs. E. La Barr, Mrs. E. E. Conrad and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. deTemple completed six thousand miles of travel by motor when they returned to Sierra Madre Saturday from a delightful vacation trip that embraced Chicago, St. Joe, Mich.; Union City, Okla.; Wichita, Kan.; El Reno, Okla.; St. Louis, Mo.; Salt Lake City; and various points in Wyoming, Nebraska and Iowa.

Leaving here a month ago the party of vacationists drove to San Francisco to see the bridges, then over the new Feather River Highway that opens an unparalleled vista of beauty to Salt Lake.

## DEAN BODE BACK IN PULPIT FROM WHICH HE DELIVERED HIS FIRST SERMON

### Much Beloved Rector Having The Time Of His Life On Vacation Overseas

BACK again in the pulpit from which he delivered his first sermon, preaching in village churches on the English countryside, and visiting scenes of his youth, dining and visiting with many number of cousins and other relatives he had not seen in more than three decades, Dean Arnold Bode is having the time of his life on his vacation abroad, he wrote Fred Vannier, one of the vestrymen of the Church of the Ascension. The letter was written in Paris shortly after his arrival in France following his lengthy visit in England.

Charles Brooks' "Thread Around England" comes to mind as the quick succession of events chronicled in the Dean's interesting letter is perused. The incident in the third paragraph describing the meeting of an old

## Campaign Of Red Cross Now Open

### Sierra Madre's appeal for humanity opens at 9 o'clock this morning and continues until Thanksgiving Day

The period has been set aside in a proclamation by Mayor H. C. Reavis and 25 volunteers will begin a house-to-house canvass for membership in the Sierra Madre Chapter of the American Red Cross, the city's one and only agency for relief of its own distressed citizens as well as its outlet for help for disaster-stricken areas throughout the Nation.

There will be new features to the appeal for membership and aid this year. The school children, for instance, will wear red cross bands about their arms to remind the citizenry that the membership campaign is on.

The city has been divided into districts. Every house will be canvassed by the volunteer workers assigned to a precinct. The public's cooperation is asked so that the campaign may be completed in the shortest possible time. Former Mayor C. W. Jones, directing the campaign, believes it can be completed within 10 days if householders will not make it necessary for the workers to make repeated calls.

You are not obligated to subscribe any stipulated sum as a condition of your membership—give what you can, Mr. Jones asks, with the certainty that not a penny of it will be misspent, that a majority of your contribution will be spent for urgent relief right here at home and that you are rendering a great service to humanity.

The local chapter's service is unique among the thousands of Red Cross branches. It operates under a special charter that makes it the community's own single agency for any and every call of distress and in this capacity it acts as an employment agency, food distributor, furnishes transportation for hospital cases, medicine for the sick and quietly renders many other invaluable services.

## Mrs. Al Myers Is New President Of The Woman's Club

Mrs. Al S. Myers became president of the Sierra Madre Woman's Club during Wednesday's club meeting when the board of directors accepted the resignation of Mrs. Edith Kenney, elected at the annual meeting last June. Her work is in Monrovia, where she is obliged to spend most of each day and did not permit, she said, of giving the attention that club affairs require.

Mrs. Myers was elected vice-president in June and has been mostly performing the president's duties since that time, especially since the new season opened. Mrs. Kenney felt it was not reasonable to continue the imposition, she said. So the board unanimously approved the automatic succession of the new leader.

## German Air Policy Quite Different, Kiwanis Told

The Kiwanians heard R. E. Wright describe his six months auto tour of Europe at the weekly luncheon meeting held at the Woman's clubhouse, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright toured England, France, Germany, Italy and Czechoslovakia in their swing around Europe and the British Isles. Mr. Wright believes that a war is inevitable in Europe. He described the Magnat line of forts, the barbed-wire entanglements strung along the road ready to be set up at a moment's warning. The Czechs have adopted our industrial methods and are quite similar to us, he said. Germany's airports are scattered throughout the country, not concentrated as in France and England, Wright told the club.

medal-covered friend who served with the dean's brother in South Africa in the brigade known as "the forty thieves," otherwise Australian practical jokers, was humorous, indeed.

Visits to Winchester, Windsor, St. Albans, (about 1000 years old) Freeford Manor (the residence of members of Mrs. Bode's family where the girls had an opportunity of browsing in the library of documents in mediaeval English and Latin and of viewing the entry of Freeford on Doomsday Book, and to Tamworth Castle, Ludworth Castle—where they saw the Norman Chapel and dungeon—and on to Wittington where the dean preached in the village church all reads like a book, typically Bodish, subtle, and gentle.

"Something to do, somewhere to go every day; tea at 7 in one's bedroom, breakfast with marmalade and 'wasps' at 8, coffee and scones or cake at 11, lunch

## Boy Cyclist Killed On Canyon Road

### Loses Control Of Wheel On Sttee Grade And Dies From Fractured Skull

Funeral services for Allen Morse, 14-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Morse of 801 Skyland Drive, will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

He was coming down the steep grade from his home on the most northerly part of the city on his bicycle, bound for school, when his wheel got out of control and he crashed into a tree at the intersection of Fern Lane and Canyon Crest Drive, fracturing his skull. Blood transfusions and the best medical attention could not save him.

Harry Gwynn and Benjamin Mobley, city employees, heard the impact and hurried to the scene, finding the boy astride a still upright bicycle wedged into the tree with his head hanging over the handlebars.

The boy was a popular 8-A student at Wilson High and took an active part in the boy's choir. Besides his parents he is survived by a brother, Bobbie, 12 years old.

Services will be at Grant Chapel with Rev. A. O. Pritchard officiating.

As a result of the Morse tragedy, Canyon residents may petition the city to ban bicycles in the canyon. There is also talk of closing Fern Lane to all traffic at this point as it sweeps steeply downgrade and makes a sharp curve at the bottom.

## MAYOR'S RED CROSS PROCLAMATION

MAYOR H. C. REAVIS issued a proclamation yesterday urging Sierra Madreans to support the Red Cross membership appeal. It follows:

I, H. Clay Reavis, Mayor of the City of Sierra Madre, do hereby proclaim that the period from November 12 through Thanksgiving Day is set aside in Sierra Madre for the annual membership Roll Call of the American Red Cross, and I call upon all residents of this city to support this great humanitarian organization by joining the local chapter of the American Red Cross, which provides aid in peace times as well as in times of disaster and war to the people of our city.

## Possum Jumps Out Of A Smudge Pot; Lands In Oven

From a smudge pot to a cooking pot is a long way, but one luckless 'possum covered it in quick order Wednesday afternoon when Officer Art Johnson picked up a smudge pot on the Carl Pegler ranch and out shot a 'possum.

Pouncing on the luckless 'possum, Johnson took revenge for all the trouble his brothers have recently caused police officers, who answered dozens of calls to protect citizens from supposed prowlers that proved to be possums.

Disposing of the 'possum was a problem for colored folks are few in Sierra Madre, but Sam, the shoe-shine man accepted the gift of Mr. 'Possum, prepared him in the best southern tradition put him on ice, and daily dreams of the delectable Sunday supper awaiting him when the roast finally comes out of the oven.

## Rubbish Disposal Plant Offered City For \$7,400

City Manager Myers, designated by the council to inquire into the cost of setting up a rubbish disposal plant here, submitted a letter from F. O. DeCurie of Los Angeles offering to furnish a plant he believed to be adequate for a city of this size for \$7,400. Mr. Myers said he had other verbal offers in greater amounts but would later submit others in writing.

## Bold Stroke Saves City Over \$2,000

### County Zoning Engineers Will Make Survey For Regulations Here

Sierra Madre taxpayers saved between \$2,000 and \$3,000 this week when the county supervisors advised the city council that its invitation to have the county planning commission make the engineering survey upon which a new city plan and zoning ordinance will be predicated, had been accepted.

The Sierra Madre engineering department will immediately make a preliminary survey and report, which will be studied and supplemented by zoning engineers of the regional commission, which will work with the Sierra Madre planning commission. The work looking to a new zoning ordinance will be hastened and building permits and licenses will be held under close scrutiny until new regulations are adopted. Meanwhile the council Wednesday night repealed the ordinance creating a planning commission and passed on first reading, a bill to authorize a new commission in conformity with a law passed by the last legislature. It requires that the commission shall consist of nine members.

Until the new commission is elected the city is without one.

## Man Seeking Work Disappears; Wife Fears Foul Play

Mrs. Harriet Gullans, 5 Bella Vista Terrace, asked Sierra Madre police to search for her husband, John G. Gullans, who left home November 2 for Los Angeles where he intended asking for employment at the office of the Metropolitan Water District. He has not been seen nor heard of since. She fears he may have met foul play.

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## Local Artist Will Resume Exhibits In Little Gallery

Courtney L. Miles of Sierra Madre will hold a ten-day exhibit of his pastel paintings in the "Little Gallery" of the city hall beginning Sunday, November 21.

The exhibit will open with a reception from the hours of 2 to 8 p.m. to which a large number of prominent Southland artists have been invited, and which many townsfolk and out of town guests are expected to attend.

This will be Mr. Miles' first exhibition here and is confined solely to his work in pastels; later he will hold an exhibition of his oil paintings.

## Extra Copies Of Red Cross Poster For You

The NEWS has a small extra supply of the Red Cross Roll Call two-page color and rotogravure sections which appeared in last week's issue, available. The front, or cover, side makes an attractive window poster to further publicize the humanitarian drive and if displayed in a window will show your sympathy with the cause. While the supply lasts, those interested in having additional copies for display purposes may obtain them by calling at THE NEWS office.

## Volunteers Working Wonders

### Public-Spirited Citizens Removing City's Shame At The Cemetery

Twenty-two civic minded Sierra Madreans responded to an appeal to help clean up the Sierra Madre cemetery and spent last Sunday morning digging up weeds, cutting off dead tree branches and removing unsightly underbrush, with the result that the west half of the cemetery is vastly improved. The job will be finished next Sunday when members of the Legion and the fire department and others who were unable to work last Sunday have promised to be on the job.

Harry Lange, phone 93, was delegated to enroll volunteers and accept contributions for a fund to engage a caretaker so that the burial ground may be kept spic and span.

"The condition of the cemetery has been the subject of so much adverse criticism and such a blot upon the community for so long that I am sure everyone is pleased with the generous response to the appeal for help," said Lange last night.

"The spirit of the men who responded was fine and so was the spirit of letters enclosing cash contributions to the fund we hope to create that will make it possible to keep the cemetery in such condition that we will be proud rather than ashamed of this last resting place of our loved ones. Our appeal for help in last week's NEWS brought in almost half enough money for this purpose and I am sure that another week will find a sufficient amount on hand to make every loyal Sierra Madrean quite happy."

## Mrs. Mary Wammock Is Stricken With Jungle Fever

Mrs. Dorothy Polsue of West Grand View avenue, has received a letter from her daughter, Mrs. Mary Wammock of East Sierra Madre Blvd., dated from Seria, Borneo, in which she tells of a serious illness, called dinge fever, she has been suffering from for almost three weeks in the hospital, 40 miles from her home.

Succumbing to this form of jungle fever less than three days after her arrival she has, until now, been unable to communicate with any of her many friends in Sierra Madre and has written only to her immediate family. Leaving the hospital, the physician took her for a drive to Shell Hill where she lived before during her previous residence in Borneo. Mrs. Wammock says houses are all gone, with the exception of the barracks, and the jungle has claimed its own. Life is quiet there, as they know nothing of the war in the Orient except what they hear over the radio, their territory belonging to Great Britain.

The last leg of the Wammock's journey to the island was eventful in comparison with their early experiences.

## FLAWS IN PASADENA'S SUIT TO STARVE VALLEY TOWNS

### Sierra Madre And Other Defendant Cities Whose Welfare Is Threatened Are Blindfolded by Conflicting Claims—Aggressor City, With Many Sources Of Water Supply, Would Destroy San Gabriel Valley Municipalities On Which Its Very Existence Depends

(Editor's Note—Here is another illuminating chapter in the story of Pasadena's "friendly" suit to restrict the use of water in its neighboring communities while attempting to set up an arbitrary claim on a major portion of the underground supply of the Raymond basin from which many San Gabriel Valley communities receive their supply. There will be another most interesting chapter in THE NEWS next week.)

By AL S. MYERS  
CITY BUSINESS MANAGER OF SIERRA MADRE

To Sierra Madre and our neighbors in the San Gabriel Valley, Pasadena's so-called "friendly" suit over our water rights is a very distinct threat—a very real menace.

In its bill of complaint against this and a dozen other municipalities dependent wholly or in part upon underground waters of the Raymond dike, it sets up an arbitrary claim to a very major portion of the water it declares is available from that source.

Sierra Madre and other cities dependent upon this supply would be obliged to take the crumbs or drops remaining and divide it among themselves as they saw fit. . . . In face of the fact that Pasadena has water from its tunnels, from the Arroyo Seco, San Gabriel canyon, an unlimited supply from the Metropolitan Water district and the underground supply in dispute, it would curtail or shut off the only possible source of existence in this and other cities.

Sierra Madre and its neighbors named in the suit would be discriminated against not only by Pasadena but by more than 50 and probably more than a hundred unnamed users of water from the Raymond basin who are not made defendants in the "friendly" suit who would be able to continue the undisputed and unrestrained use of waters of the basin in the event that Pasadena's claim shall be sustained by the courts. Pasadena has set up a claim for 14,600 feet of whatever water may be available out of the Raymond dike. But there is apparently no accounting for the very considerable supply Mr. Myers receives from its water tunnels amounting to approximately 3,000 acre feet. So that, no resident of our valley can be sure that Pasadena is suing for its claimed 14,600-acre feet, or whether the additional tunnel supply was purposely overlooked.

## Postman Escapes Death When Car Rolls Around

To turn over in his car three times and still come up smiling is really something, and that is just what "Bill" Jenkins, popular letter-carrier did early Saturday morning while returning from Beverly Hills.

The accident occurred at Paloma street and Sierra Madre Blvd. in Lamanda Park when he lost control of his car which struck a warning post and rolled over three times, completely demolishing it.

Pasadena police called to the scene gave Jenkins a lift home and aside from a few bruises and a near black-eye he escaped without serious injury.

## 'Mum' Show To Be Annual Event Here

### Gorgeous Display Of Cascades Prompts Decision Of Woman's Club

Declaring the first Cascade Chrysanthemum Show ever to be held in California to be an outstanding success, the Sierra Madre Woman's Club, joint sponsors with the Wistaria Association for the show announce that it is to be a yearly event in Sierra Madre.

Club coffers were considerably enriched according to club officials, and much credit for the success of the show must go to the hardworking general chairman of the amateur division, Mrs. Hazel James Ferguson and her committee.

Sierra Madre Woman's Club Junior acted as hostesses during the three days of the show, and were on hand to answer questions and point out the interesting exhibits and attractions of the gardens.

Garden experts were enchanted with the unsurpassed beauty of the setting, and say while many shows build pergolas for displays nowhere else could the magnificent green canopy of the vine be duplicated.

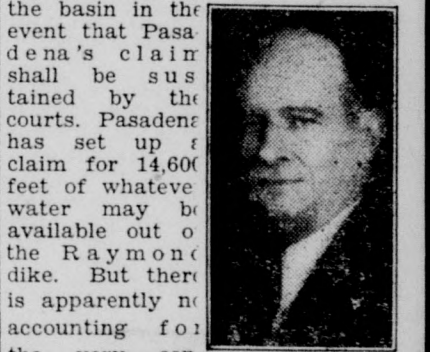
The three days of fete and festivities beginning Friday and culminated Sunday evening in a round table discussion of garden, park and water problems, and a concert of Hungarian airs by the Melodia Chamber Ensemble dressed in vivid native costumes lent an additional note of interest.

An exhibition of flower paintings loaned by Alfred James Dewey, the work of his art class, decorated the dining pavilion during the show.

Among the exhibits that attracted wide attention was the display of hybrid seedlings grown by George Millard of Pasadena, and Tommy Imai of San Fernando, who provided as closely as possible a native background for the cascades by growing them in stumps of trees.

Mrs. C. Nomura received congratulations for the cascades grown by herself from tiny seedlings, and Mrs. C. W. Jones exhibited a crinum lily, the only one in Sierra Madre, brought here many years ago by her mother, Mrs. Holland.

Miss Akemi Togo, flower ambassador, lectured on chrysanthemums and flower arrangements, Saturday afternoon, before a large group of interested people. Monroe Kidder, "father" of the



the very considerable supply Mr. Myers receives from its water tunnels amounting to approximately 3,000 acre feet. So that, no resident of our valley can be sure that Pasadena is suing for its claimed 14,600-acre feet, or whether the additional tunnel supply was purposely overlooked.

Paragraph 2 of Pasadena's suit against its neighboring communities is filled with dynamite. It reads as follows:

"That it be adjudged and decreed that plaintiff is the owner of the prior and paramount right to take and divert from said Raymond Basin, in each year, 14,600 acre feet of water, and that said defendants, and each of them, have no estate or interest therein or in any part thereof; that said defendants, and each of them, be forever debarred and enjoined from asserting any claim, whether in or to said property adverse to this plaintiff."

The above paragraph means simply that the City of Pasadena is asking for 14,600 acre feet of water for its exclusive use to use, hold or export and that all other municipalities or users be enjoined from taking any water at all which would in any way interfere with Pasadena's claim of 14,600 acre feet.

Pasadena further claims that the total replenishment to this basin is 23,500 acre feet per year. If Pasadena's contention is correct, it would mean that all users outside the city of Pasadena combined could only use the difference between 14,600 acre feet and 23,500 or 8,900 acre feet. The extraction of water from north of the Raymond Dike in the year of 1931 was approximately 34,000 acre feet by pumping. Since this is the case, no doubt it is, instead of our reduction in use being one-third as stated by Pasadena, it is more than one half. In other words, our use would be curtailed better than 50 percent. The following is an example:

What Pasadena is suing for—14,600 acre feet  
Pasadena's claim or replenishment per year—23,500 acre feet  
Leaving a balance for Sierra Madre and all other users—8,900 acre feet.

That apparently is what happens, but actually this is what happens as taken from Pasadena's own records.

Total replenishment—23,500 acre feet

Used by Pasadena—14,600 acre feet

Used by outside sources (including Pasadena) as exclusive of tunnels, 34,000 acre feet

Or by sources outside Pasadena alone—19,400 acre feet.  
The 34,000 acre feet set up is exclusive of tunnel or gravity water Pasadena enjoys. Since Sierra Madre, Monrovia, Pasadena, Flintridge, La Canada and Altadena are all using tunnel or gravity water as well as supplies by pumping, this figure of 34,000



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## Hold Daily Sessions For Children Of Pre-School Age

The pre-school tots of Sierra Madre, not to be outdone by their elders, are holding their own in the way of activities designed to benefit them physically and mentally. In the park, the group known as the pre-school children, are meeting every morning under the supervision of a competent teacher.

Play, rest, and light refreshment are given the children, enabling them to meet other children of their age on a social basis. The fact that this movement has continued for the duration of a year, attests to its success.

## EPISCOPAL WOMEN AT CELEBRATION

Celebration of the 24th birthday anniversary of the Church Home for Children in Garvanza on Monday, November 8 was attended by a group of Sierra Madreans of the Church of the Ascension that included Mrs. Randolph Wood and Miss Jean Woodward, who are on the executive board of the Home; Mrs. Milton Bowler, president of St. Catherine's Guild; Miss Hazel Woodward, Mrs. C. Hall Perry, Mrs. Webster Vannier, Mrs. Arthur Wilson, Miss Davis, and Dr. and Mrs. Heagerty.

## Father Sage Says:

Success comes in cans; failure in cant's.

## Mothers Urged To Strive For Peace At Wilson PTA

The Woodrow Wilson P.T.A. is evincing much interest in the serious study of juvenile delinquency and parent education in adolescent problems, according to their dynamic president, Mrs. Waverly Pratt.

H. Briggs of the County Juvenile probation office told the members Wednesday afternoon at the Willard Auditorium of the problems confronting the probation officer. Following his discussion Mrs. Pratt presented an Armistice Day tableau depicting a Red Cross nurse flanked on either side with a wounded soldier and sailor. The American flag stretched across the stage made an effective background. Mrs. Pratt made a short talk for peace, and reminded her listeners they as mothers must dedicate their lives to the progress of peace.

Stanton Irvine sounded taps during the tableaux, and Sam Embree represented the wounded sailor, and Mrs. Augusta Coats the Red Cross nurse. First of a series of study groups was held in the Faculty room at Wilson, Tuesday afternoon.

## ARTS AND HOMECRAFT BEING TAUGHT HERE

Arts and homecrafts are taught in room six at the Sierra Madre Grammar School, Thursday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. under the capable direction of Miss F. Woods, of the adult education division of the Pasadena school district. Adults are taught art needlework, art leatherwork, flower making, fabric painting, crepe paper work, block printing and glove-making for ladies and gentlemen.

## In a Social Way

### ASHMORE-BLACK WEDDING IS LOVELY AFFAIR

THE Congregational Church, scene of many beautiful weddings in the past, was chosen for the marriage rites of Miss Marjorie Ashmore, daughter of Mr. D. C. Ashmore and the late Mrs. Ashmore of 477 N. Baldwin avenue, and Mr. Emmett Black, son of the late Dr. and Mrs. Emmett Black, of Arcadia, on Wednesday night at 8 p.m. Rev. Arthur O. Pritchard officiated.

Against a setting of exquisite flowers, myriads of mixed chrysanthemums on the altar combined with ferns and greenery, a piano quartet played strains of incidental music fifteen minutes before the wedding. They were John Harlow Mills at the piano, Miss Roberta Groninger, violin, Miss Miriam Spaulding, viola, and Miss Mary Novis, cello. Their numbers included the "Ave Maria" by Schubert, several Brahms waltzes, the Wedding March from Lohengrin and the Mendelssohn March following the ceremony. The pews were topped with bouquets of delphinium and gladioli.

The bride resembled a flower herself in a white lace gown cut on Juliet lines with a flowing train, upstanding scalloped collar, empire waist buttoned with tiny buttons, and long tight-fitting sleeves. She wore the veil worn by Mrs. John Harlow Mills at her wedding and carried a huge bouquet of white gardenias. She was given away by her father.

Mrs. John Harlow Mills attended as matron-of-honor, clad in a gown of turquoise blue chiffon with silver metallic blouse. She carried pink roses and blue larkspur.

The bridesmaids, the Misses Moreland Kortkamp and Ellin Edwards, made never-to-be-forgotten pictures in their delicate colors. Miss Kortkamp wearing a silver metallic blouse and duty pink crepe skirt and Miss Edwards in silver and chateau green crepe. They carried mixed bouquets of larkspur, gladioli and mums. In lieu of hats, all attendants wore gardenias in their hair.

Franklin McCurdie of Arcadia, served the groom as best man, while Messrs. John Ashmore and Leonard Johnson acted as ushers. Completing the color scheme, little Miss Romaine as flower girl wore yellow lace over yellow taffeta with a wreath of mixed flowers in her hair.

A reception held at the home of the bride's father and Mrs. D. C. Ashmore, 1781 New York avenue, Pasadena, following the nuptials.

The bridal couple left for a honeymoon in San Francisco, after which they will be at home to their friends at 477 North Baldwin avenue.

The bride grew up in Sierra Madre, attending the local school, Pasadena Junior College and U.C.L.A. Mr. Black is a student at the University of Southern California.

The yellow and white rehearsal supper given Tuesday evening by Miss Ashmore, honoring her brideal entourage, was the final pre-nuptial affair given in the round of Ashmore-Black parties.

A vivid yellow and white centerpiece of chrysanthemums accented by yellow candles held the admiration of the group that had just completed last arrangements at the Congregational Church.

Covers were laid for Mrs. John Harlow Mills, matron-of-honor; the Misses Moreland Kortkamp of Sierra Madre and Ellin Edwards of La Crescenta, the latter a cousin of the bride, bridesmaids; and Messrs. Franklin McCurdie of Arcadia, best man, and John Ashmore, brother of the bride, with Leonard Johnson of Los Angeles, ushers, and little Miss Romaine, the flower-girl.

DIANE HAYDEN SURPRISES FRIENDS BY WEDDING

Keeping up with Cupid in these columns is an engrossing task but one worthy of much attention, so pause and hearken to the recital of one more glamorous romance: It is the surprise wedding of Miss Diane Hayden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David C. Hayden of New York and Sierra Madre, and niece of Dr. J. M. Masury of 269 East Laurel avenue to Paul R. Mathews, son of Col. and Mrs. John Mathews of Kentucky, which took place October 30 at high noon in an Episcopal ceremony at Santa Ana.

Mrs. Mathews resided in Sierra Madre for ten years and was educated in fashionable eastern schools. The groom is an alumnus of Washington State University and the University of Southern California. He is now an instructor of law in the Southwestern Law College.

The bride was attended by her close friend of many years, Miss Nina Bell Neale, niece of Judge and Mrs. T. W. Neale of 197 North Mt. Trail. Haskell D. Gindrich, Los Angeles banker, was best man.

The bride made a symphonic picture attired in a ravishing gold suede suit accented by green accessories and orchids. She carried Talisman roses. Miss Neale wore

a green wool suit trimmed with red fox fur, also wearing orchids. After a smartly-appointed wedding luncheon the bridal couple departed for Coronado. They will reside in South Berendo street, Los Angeles.

### MUM SHOW IS INCENTIVE FOR MANY PARTIES

Sauntering forth from one's own front door on Sunday into that almost fairy-like realm of beauty known as the Wistaria Vine Gardens, one discovered others from as near and much, much further were also absorbing the flower-filled atmosphere seated about the beautifully decorated tables in the dining pavilion where many dinner and luncheon parties were given.

Among the groups glimpsed were Mrs. H. S. Dowding of Ramona avenue, who had her guests, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Garson and little daughter, Mima, of Montebello, (incidentally Mr. Garson took 11 ribbons at the show) and Mr. and Mrs. J. Denholm, their relatives from Los Angeles. A Sunday supper was later enjoyed.

Then there was Mrs. Adria Johnson of West Grand View avenue who was entertaining Mrs. C. A. Dillingham of Arcadia at a prettily-decorated chrysanthemum luncheon table in the tea-room. In the evening the Round Table group formed an interesting party, composed of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Carson, Miss Roxana Stevens, Mrs. John Osgood, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Eliason, Mrs. May Mason, Miss Elizabeth Turner, Mrs. W. J. Lawless, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Anderson, and Purley Poore, Sheehan. On Saturday night, Mrs. W. E. Pratt entertained Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Humphries of Arcadia and her sister, at a smartly-arranged dinner.

### CHURCH SCENE OF SHOWER FOR BRIDE-ELECT

Mrs. F. D. R. Moote and Mrs. Frank Butler were co-hostesses Monday afternoon at an exquisitely arranged miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Myrtle Wood, bride-elect, at the home of Mrs. Moote.

From 2:30 to 5 p.m. over fifty guests, mostly members of the Missionary Society of Bethany Church, came and went, paying homage to this lovely member of the younger set. The piece de resistance of the decorative scheme was an ivy-grown wishing-well, which was heaped about with masses of bulging, crisply-tied, inviting packages.

A rose-taffeta bedspread, the last word in elegance, was the gift of the Missionary Society. Others, equally as charming, were all opened and excitedly inspected. Mrs. John Lowe and Mrs. W. N. Barker poured at a table gloriously embellished with Talisman roses and ferns. Tapers and silver were the complements. Mrs. Stanley Wood, mother of the bride-elect, was among those present.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY PROVES HAPPY EVENT

A birthday party that was synonymous with beauty and happiness was given Monday evening by Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hays of 248 San Gabriel Court in honor of their daughter, Miss Ruth Allen. Pink and white were artistically combined in the color scheme, with the cake claiming a large share of attention. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. Isador Fisher, Lois Pickett, Virginia Hatcher, Mary Lorenzini, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hudson, Russell Prattley, Paul Tibbitt, Mercer Duff, Kenneth Pickett, the guest of honor and the hosts.

### ORIGINAL THEME CARRIED OUT AT STORK SHOWER

The stork shower and dainty luncheon given in honor of Mrs. Robert Munson of Arcadia the past week, claims its authorship under the name of Mrs. Frank Butler of 729 West Alegria avenue. The theme was unusually original, being carried out in a large four-footed stork, from whose bill long streamers of pale blue and pink satin extended to the gifts. The honoree carried these home in a cleverly-devised papier mache shoe. About eighteen guests were present.

### ROMANCE REVEALED AND SHOWERS FOLLOW

Another interesting romance that has just come to light is that of Miss Myrtle Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley E. Wood, formerly of 221 West Grand View avenue, and Bob Jensen, son of Richard S. Jensen and the late Mrs. Jensen of 561 West Grand View avenue.

The young couple, both with a host of friends among the younger set, have been extensively feted since the disclosure of the romantic secret.

One of the many delightful

parties given recently was a surprise shower last Thursday night sponsored by the Misses Agnes McAndrew, Mary Sheriff, Jean Weekes and Mrs. William Everett in the rotunda of Bethany Church.

The scene was gay with varicolored balloons, and myriads of 'mums, while floor lamps lent their cheery radiance. Totally unprepared to see the above, or 30 guests, the honoree was led to the church by her fiancé to presumably seek a book he desired and as they entered the wedding march was played. Miss Wood, who now resides in Ontario, attended Pasadena Junior College, as did her fiancé.

### MISS BOLMS HONORED AT BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Evelyn White Biting, creator of the Poppy Trail Villa of East Los Angeles, gave a birthday dinner on Saturday honoring Mildred Curtis Bolms of West Mira Monte avenue.

Carrying out her usual method of presenting prominent people of the vicinity to the honoree and other members of the X-Press Club, who gather once a month for their informal reunions, Mrs. Biting introduced Christy Nelson, leading attorney of that community, and Ray Wright, president of the East Los Angeles Camera Club. Combining business with pleasure, the secretary read a letter from American Legion Auxiliary No. 323, inviting the celebration of the signing of the Constitution of the United States and tree planting program to be held in Atlantic Park, Sunday, November 14.

### CHILDREN'S HOME BENEFITS FROM BRIDGE TEA

Ladies of St. Catherine's Guild of the Church of the Ascension are all agog over their first fall party, Tuesday, November 16 at 2 p.m. in the Parish House. It will be in the form of a bridge-tee, the proceeds of which will be wisely used for the Church Home for Children, in Garvanza.

Officers in charge are utilizing all of their energy to make this party successful from every standpoint. Really worthwhile prizes out of the ordinary are assured those with high scores.

Dr. Heagerty has issued a friendly edict that the Parish House must be used a great deal more for social purposes. Miss Jean Woodward, tel. 3052, will take reservations.

### FRIENDSHIP CLUB HAS THANKSGIVING PARTY

The Friendship Club held a very delightful Thanksgiving party in the Ladies' parlors of the Congregational Church on Monday evening. At the business meeting, plans were made for Christmas welfare work. The following ladies were named to serve: Mrs. Maybelle Barker, Mrs. Joy Embree and Mrs. Helen Sandage. A nominating committee was appointed by Mrs. Al Myers, President. New officers for 1938 will be named at the December meeting. The social hour was in charge of Mesdames Helen Sandage and Joy Embree and consisted of Thanksgiving games and contests and ended up with community singing, after which refreshments were served.

### TEMPLE BETH ISRAEL CARD PARTY OUTSTANDING EVENT

One of Autumn's outstanding bridge-luncheons was that sponsored by Misses Sidney L. Wolfe, Morris Steinbach, and Dine Shapiro in the church parlors of the Temple Beth Israel, last Tuesday, Los Angeles, Pasadena, Monrovia, Arcadia, Alhambra, and Glendale sent representatives, many of whom have been out to Wistaria Town before on similar occasions. About twenty clubwomen from the Sierra Madre Woman's club were also present.

A beautiful vanity compact was raffled off with great success to Mrs. Sol Horwit.

The proceeds of the party will be used for philanthropic purposes.

### TINGLE OF FALL WEATHER STIRS SOCIAL ACTIVITY

These tingling November days cannot fail to bring forth a desire to be hospitable and radiant in social contacts. Bearing me out in this assertion, is the convivial cycle of parties given in town this week.

The informal luncheon given by Mrs. E. E. Bacon and Adria Johnson of Sierra Madre, around the great fireplace at Wistaria Vine Gardens on Tuesday, was a charming affair. Two tables of bridge followed. Among those

### FORMER MABEL SUTHERLAND HAS BABY DAUGHTER

A baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bell of Altadena, Thursday, November 4. Mrs. Bell is the daughter of Mrs. Mabel Sutherland of 526 Ramona Ave., Sierra Madre, and is well-known here, having attended Bethany Church. The baby has been christened Roberta Ann.

## Child Is Severely Injured In Attack By Chow Dog

Shirley Johnson, three-year old daughter of Mrs. C. H. Johnson of Arcadia, was severely bitten by a chow dog owned by Mrs. E. A. Davey, 82 Olivera Place, Tuesday afternoon as she played in the yard of the R. K. Thayer home, 72 Olivera Place, while on a visit with her mother.

The dog rushed into the Thayer yard and attacked the child, according to police records, tearing both hands and her right shoulder before it was beaten off. Dr. M. H. A. Peterson administered first aid, and the child was removed to her home, 100 Central street.

## SIERRA MADREANS AT PASADENA CONCERT

A number of ardent music lovers of Sierra Madre attended the superb Lauritz Melchior concert at the Civic Auditorium in Pasadena on Tuesday evening. Sierra Madreans who attended were Mrs. Randolph Wood and son Allan, of 255 North Hermosa avenue, and another group including Mr. and Mrs. George B. Morgridge and Mrs. Hortense Hill with Miss Marjorie Winn of East Montecito avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. John H. Mills.

present were Mrs. R. W. Solomon, Mrs. G. K. Bretherton, Mrs. R. L. Webster, Mrs. R. C. Lewis, Mrs. J. C. James and Mrs. H. P. Bacon, besides the hostesses.

### SOCIAL NOTES

Mrs. A. E. Pulling of 382 West Montecito avenue gave a tea recently honoring Miss Emma Jameson of West Montecito avenue, who is leaving for a journey of several months' duration. About 25 mutual friends were assembled. Conversation preceded tea, which was served from a smartly-appointed table.

The monthly Canyon Park bridge-party given last Friday by Mrs. McQueston of Brookside Lane. Two tables were composed of guests in that vicinity.

About forty guests will assemble for their monthly social chatter and pot-lucking at the Canyon Park home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred James Dewey, in Marlborough Terrace, Sunday evening, November 14 at 5 p.m. These informal evenings are replete with interest and are keenly anticipated by this group.

Mrs. Freda Miller Clatworthy of 82 West Alegria avenue presided at a delightful bridge-luncheon in Pasadena recently, entertaining Mrs. Mary D. Goodfellow, Mrs. Richard Stanton, Mrs. C. A. Henrotin and Miss Brown.

—Mildred Curtis Bolms

## Daughters Of G A R Veterans Enjoy Colorful Party

Not in any way overshadowed by other functions of the week, was the colorful luncheon given on Wednesday by Mrs. Ada Thomas of 25 West Grand View avenue, past president of the Nonpareil Club of the Stanton Woman's Relief Corps, No. 16, Auxiliary to Stanton G.A.R. Post No. 55, to the past presidents at Wistaria Vine Gardens.

The table was beautifully decorated in patriotic colors, red and white chrysanthemums, and blue china and crystals.

The program followed Armistice Day lines and featured the election of officers. Mrs. Ida V. Herendeen, acting as installing officer. Mrs. Grace B. Willard, past National president, and Mrs. Geneva E. Algie, past National patriotic instructor, occupied the places of honor.

Covers were also laid for Mrs. Fred Gage (Elsie), Mrs. Alleen Anderson, Mrs. Florence Swartout, Mrs. Catherine Cox, Mrs. Edith Comyns, Mrs. Myra B. Kendall, Mrs. Ruth M. Line, Mrs. Amelia L. Wayne, and Mr. Fred Gage, along with the hostess.

## CULTURAL COLONY HAS ANOTHER MEMBER

Mrs. A. L. Cain, who has been a very successful piano teacher for the last twenty years in Los Angeles is the newest addition to Sierra Madre's cultural colony. She has purchased the Davis home at 71 East Alegria avenue and will teach there on Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays.

Mrs. Cain proudly claims many gifted students among her clientele, some of them being people well known in musical, club and radio fields. Mary Funk, who started out at the age of nine years to play professionally and continued for many years to appear before clubs and schools, with outstanding success, is among these.

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## Plan Interesting Meeting Of Woman's Society

The missionary society of the Congregational Church will hold its November meeting on Tuesday, November 16 in the church. Mrs. E. L. Hinkley, chairman for the day, has secured Mrs. R. S. Rose of Perris, Calif., as her speaker. Mrs. Rose has been a teacher in India for a number of years and has had many interesting experiences.

Mrs. Waverly Pratt will be in charge of devotions; Mrs. Clay Reavis, of current events, and Mrs. Lee Shippey will be the guest soloist. As this will be the day for the annual thank offering, it is hoped that all of the little envelopes that have been given out will be returned well filled.

Luncheon will be served at 12:30 p.m. in charge of Mrs. James C. Heasley's division. Reservations will be taken by Mrs. Eva Moore, tel. 2813. Hostesses will be Mrs. Warren O. Preston, and Mrs. Harry Caskey. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

## A. L. A. Activities

By Maybelle Caley Barker

OUR Juniors have just completed a set of scrap books for the Veterans at San Fernando Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Lovejoy took them over on Sunday.

Our cooperative sales chairman, Ornela Stinman, has been ill with flu.

Americanism Chairman Augusta Coats reported a checkup on all American flags found in second-hand stores in and around this vicinity. Some were found in neatly covered piles while others were thrown carelessly under counters. Mrs. Coats reprimanded the careless merchants, telling them that our flag should be treated with reverence and they assured her that hereafter the flags received for sale would be tenderly handled.

Final plans for the Armistice dance Saturday night have been checked over and a big crowd is anticipated.

Our unit has become interested in knitting and every member is asked to bring her knitting needles to our next meeting as we plan to start an Afghan. Knitting instructions were received from Department early in the week. Remember our next meeting will be on Thursday, November 18th.

The annual Red Cross roll call has started. Let us make our Organization 100 per cent in membership. Your publicity chairman will enroll you at our next meeting when she will have the membership cards and pins.

District meeting is next Monday, November 15th.

## YOUR HOME AND MINE

BY ANNE WILSON



"Pot luck" meals are popular for club meetings and for informal gatherings of friends. And with everyone bringing something, a delicious array is provided, without much trouble on anyone's part.

The woman who has an electric casserole finds her contribution to the co-operative meal especially easy. She cooks the food in it, uses the casserole to carry the food to the home of the hostess, and places it on the table in the casserole, whose beauty makes it acceptable in any table setting. If the food needs to be reheated, the casserole may be connected to any convenience outlet.

The same foods which are prepared casserole style in the oven may be prepared in an electric casserole. It is, in effect, a small oven, and cooks food most satisfactorily. It is especially good for preparing escalloped dishes, such as escalloped oysters, which fit in with any pot luck menu.

The electric casserole recipe for escalloped oysters follows:

- 1 pint drained oysters
- 1 tsp. Worcestershire sauce
- 1/4 lb. crackers, rolled fine
- 1 can condensed mushroom soup
- 2 tbsp. butter
- 1 outside stalk celery

Place oysters in the bottom of a greased casserole. Season with salt, pepper and Worcestershire sauce and cover with layer of crumbs. Repeat until oysters are used. Cover with undiluted soup. Top with crumbs and dots of butter. Lay celery along top. Bake 30 minutes in the casserole at 350 degrees.

## Sisters Separated For 16 Years, Weep With Joy On 'Phone

The insistent jangle of the telephone bell disturbed the dinner hour at the E. D. Robertson home, 43 West Laurel, Monday evening, when the family was celebrating Mrs. Robertson's birthday. She answered the call and a far away voice said "this is your red-headed sister calling from Raleigh, North Carolina, to wish you a happy birthday!"

Gasping with surprise, Mrs. Robertson managed to stammer a few words before emotion overcame her and she started crying from happiness at the sound of her sister's voice. They haven't seen each other for 16 years.

Mrs. Robertson said the rest of the conversation was carried on through the tears of her sister, Mrs. Hubert Brachman, whose birthday was the next day following her's, and her own sobs.

## Proposed New Tax System Would Cut Levy On Homes

Petitions were being circulated in eastern Los Angeles County this week for an initiative measure fixing a new method for assessing real estate taxes, and providing a definite tax limitation. It was announced by Everett J. Spotts of Temple City, state chairman of the organization urging the measure.

The act, which has been titled for the ballot next November by the secretary of state, provides for determining taxation on homes and farms on the basis of income or use value, rather than on the present ad valorem system. Unimproved property would be taxed on a "real" value basis.

It is claimed for the measure that it would reduce taxes on homes, farms and unimproved property, and limit the taxes which may be assessed against them, Spotts said.

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## Police Are On Trail Of Drug Addict

Police have warned local physicians to be on the lookout for a man calling himself Frank Silvers who is said to be attempting to obtain narcotics under false pretense and who they fear may try to burglarize their offices to obtain drugs. This man has been to Alhambra physicians, according to police records and came to the office of Dr. M. H. A. Peterson and asked for a narcotic allegedly prescribed for him by another physician.

Upon Dr. Peterson's refusal he went to the office of Dr. George W. Groth and tried to persuade Miss Vivian Ihlig, office nurse, to let him into the doctor's private office.

The man is described as around 40 years old, 5 feet 10 inches in height and slender build, light hair and wearing a white shirt, gray trousers and light felt hat, without a coat.

## TWO MORE SHOWINGS OF "THE OLD MAID"

"The Old Maid," dramatized by Zoe Akins from the Edith Wharton novel, will be presented on the Pasadena Community Playhouse stage for the last times tonight and tomorrow.

The story of maternal yearning and mother love, told in the lives of three women, earned its rightful spot in the theatrical sun by winning the Pulitzer Prize award of 1935.

## FIRE FLAMES

By One of The Boys

JERRY JONES wore a tape across his nose for several days. Several stories were circulated as to the reason for this. One was that he was scratched by a cat and another that a large Newfoundland dog kicked him. What is said to have been the real cause, uncovered by one of our "nebbly" fellow firemen, is this: Jerry was told by his wife to bring home a loaf of bread and instead, took home a bun. Just what dropped on his nose will probably never be known.

Among a group of local talent to visit the "McDonald Farm" last Saturday were several firemen including Joe Swanson, Harry Lange, Jim Heasley and Gordon McMillan. After looking over the farm and telling Mr. McDonald what to use for fertilizer, the boys were invited into the dining room where the remainder of the evening was spent in playing "Mah Jong." Oh yes.

This will be meeting and drill night and no one knows just what to expect since Assistant Chief Norris has been assigned the job of arranging the drill. The Chief laid low a couple of fat hens and invited Jim Heasley and Frank Lovell up to the house for dinner the other evening. The guests said they were not hungry, but Mrs. Chief had fried two very large chickens. When the meal was over she said, "Well—it's a good thing I didn't have four hens to kill or I still wouldn't have any left for Bill's lunch."

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Pork & Beans Van Camp's. 16-ounce can. 6¢

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The companion show is "Bulldog Drummond Comes Back" with John Barrymore in the leading role. Louise Campbell is his leading lady. Barrymore commands attention throughout the piece and his acting is superb.

## CAUKINS HAVE GAY TIME AT CAPITAL; START HOME

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Caukin of Sierra Madre, who have been spending a wonderful three weeks in Washington, D.C., being feted and seeing and hearing the impressive in buildings, people and speeches, were entertained by their daughter, Dr. Esther Caukin Brunauer last Wednesday at a marvelous luncheon given at the American Association University Women's clubhouse. The Caukins left Saturday for New Orleans for a few days' stopover before their return home.

## Odd Occupations

## Glacier priest

INTO THE FAR NORTH GOES FATHER HUBBARD, FAMED GLACIER PRIEST. THIS YEAR HIS JOURNALS TAKES TO THE NORTH BRITISH COLUMBIA, IN THE TREACHEROUS TAKUKE CAP COUNTRY.

## Father Hubbard



## AT THE CHURCHES

## Christian Science

First Church of Christ, Scientist of Sierra Madre is a branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

9:30 a.m.—Sunday School.  
11 a.m.—Sunday Service.

"Because ye are sons, God hath sent forth the Spirit of his Son into your hearts, crying Abba, Father. Wherefore thou art no more a servant, but a son; and if a son, then an heir of God through Christ." These words of Paul's to the Galatians are the Golden Text in the Lesson-Sermon on "Mortals and Immortals" on Sunday in all branches of the Mother Church.

8 p.m., Wednesday—Testimonial meeting.  
Reading room open daily from 10 a.m.-3 p.m.; 22 North Baldwin.

## Bethany Church

The Little Stone Church  
Rev. Stewart R. Sheriff, Pastor

Sunday—  
9:30 a.m.—Bible School.  
11 a.m.—Morning Worship.  
6:30 p.m.—Two Christian Endeavor Societies.

7:30 p.m.—Evening Meeting.  
Wednesday—  
7:30 p.m.—Prayer meeting.

## Holiness Mission

Sunday School at 10 a.m.  
Sermon, 11 a.m.

Christian Holiness Mission is holding services each Sunday at 26 Windsor Lane, Rev. Velma Lessley.

Evening Evangelistic Services, 7:30 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting each Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

## LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE  
No. TS-2042

On TUESDAY, the 23rd day of November, 1937, at 11:00 A.M., SECURITY-FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF LOS ANGELES, as Trustee under and pursuant to Deed of or Transfer in Trust executed by Edith H. Bartlett, a married woman, dated December 31, 1936, recorded January 22, 1937, in Book 14719, Page 181, of Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Los Angeles County, California, and securing, among other obligations, note for \$3500.00 dated December 31, 1936 in favor of Sierra Madre Savings Bank, a Corporation, will sell at public auction to highest bidder for cash (PAYABLE IN LAWFUL MONEY OF THE UNITED STATES AT TIME OF SALE), at the eastern entrance to the Hall of Justice, facing toward Spring Street, Los Angeles, California, all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by it under said Deed or Transfer in the property situated in the City of Sierra Madre, in said County and State, described as:

Lot One (1) and part of Lot Two (2) of the F. E. Robinson Tract, in the City of Sierra Madre, County of Los Angeles, State of California, as per map recorded in Book 10, Page 43 of Maps, in the office of the County Recorder of said County, described as follows: Beginning at the North East corner of said Lot One (1); thence southerly along the Easterly line of said Lots One (1) and Two (2), seventy-five and fifty-four hundred seventy-five ten thousandths (75.5475) feet; thence West along the North line of the property conveyed to John M. Lee by deed recorded in Book 2779, Page 6 of Deeds, one hundred fifty-seven and twenty-five hundredths (157.25) feet, more or less, to the West line of said Lot Two (2); thence Northerly seventy-five and seventeen hundredths (75.17) feet, more or less, to the North West corner of said Lot One (1); thence East one hundred sixty-one and eight tenths (161.8) feet to the point of beginning.

Said sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, express or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the entire principal sum of said note, to-wit, \$3500, with interest from March 1, 1937, at the rate of six per cent per annum, advances, if any, under the terms of said Deed or Transfer; fees, charges and expenses of the Trust-

## Congregational

Rev. Arthur O. Pritchard, Pastor  
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"Connecting with the Main Line," will be the topic of the morning sermon by the pastor at 11 o'clock.

On Tuesday, Missionary Luncheon at 12:30. Speaker, Mrs. Rose; Topic, India.

On Wednesday at 8 p.m., Fireside Club Bible study, "The Sacredness of Life." Social hour.

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9:30 a.m.—Junior Church and Church School.  
11 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon.

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tee and of trusts created by said Deed or Transfer.

The beneficiary under said Deed or Transfer, by reason of a breach or default in the obligations secured thereby, heretofore executed and delivered to undersigned a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale and election to cause the undersigned to sell said property to satisfy said obligations, and thereafter, on July 22, 1937, the undersigned caused said notice of default and election to be recorded in Book 15161, Page 75, of Official Records in said recorder's office.

Dated October 26, 1937.  
SECURITY-FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF LOS ANGELES, as said Trustee  
By J. VEENHUYZEN, Vice President  
By A. M. HADLEY, Assistant Secretary.

## LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE  
No. 135843

In the Matter of the Estate of IDA E. CLARKE, Deceased. In the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Los Angeles. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, under and pursuant to the law made and provided, the undersigned ADMINISTRATRIX will sell at private sale to the highest and best bidder, subject to confirmation by said SUPERIOR COURT, on or after November 29th, 1937, at the office of Noren Eaton, Attorney, 436 H. W. Hellman Building, Los Angeles, California, all right, title, and interest of said deceased at the time of death, and all interest that the estate has acquired by operation of law, or otherwise, in and to the real estate described as follows:

"Lot 14 and the South 10 feet of Lot 16, in Victoria Place Tract, in the City of Sierra Madre, County of Los Angeles, State of California, as per Map recorded in Book 9, Page 173 of Maps, Records of said County."

TERMS OF SALE, Cash upon confirmation of sale, or Part Cash, balance evidenced by Notes secured by Trust Deed on the property sold. Bids or offers must be in writing, and will be received at the aforesaid office at any time after first publication hereof, and before date of sale.

JESSIE WARD RUSSELL, ADMINISTRATRIX, c.t.a., of the ESTATE of IDA E. CLARKE, Deceased.

## New State Security Insurance Forms Available Here

A law passed by the last legislature makes all California employers having between four and seven employees subject to the unemployment insurance law. They must be registered with the state Department of Employment before January 1, after which they and their employees must contribute to the insurance fund. Approximately 50,000 registration blanks have been mailed out, but many employers report that, through some oversight, they have not received the forms. President R. C. Lewis of the local Chamber of Commerce announced yesterday that the Chamber will supply the necessary forms to employers who have not received theirs, or who have mislaid them before making their return.

## REALTOR LOOMIS HAS SERIOUS OPERATION

J. C. Loomis, Sierra Madre realtor, is critically ill at Queen of Angels Hospital in Los Angeles where he underwent an exploratory operation last Thursday, on his right leg. Attending physicians fear an amputation may be necessary, it was reported yesterday. He has been suffering from a ruptured blood vessel of the knee that developed as a slight swelling and which caused him no particular concern until the past few weeks. As his condition kept growing worse, he entered St. Luke's Hospital for observation where they discovered a ruptured artery.

He was removed to the Queen of Angels where the operation was performed.

## Strong Oregon Team Favored In Clash With Trojans

Holding down third place in the Pacific Coast Conference standings and retaining a chance for the championship should California and Stanford be upset on the home stretch of the league race, the Oregon State Beavers will meet Southern California here Saturday in a gridiron game that will likely find the boys from Corvallis in the unique role of favorites.

Victories over Washington and Oregon and ties with Stanford and UCLA have revealed the Beavers of 1937 to be the strongest squad ever developed by Coach Lon Stiner in his five years as football mentor at Oregon State.

## MOVIE STARS HEAD A BIG POLO BILL SUNDAY

Spencer Tracy will make his final appearance on the polo field at Riviera Sunday afternoon in the T. Lyle Puckett Tournament when Tracy's San Fernando poloists gallop against Riviera's ace malletmen.

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Spirited activities at Santa Anita Park point to the approach of the fourth annual winter racing season on Christmas Day.

Several hundred of the some 1500 horses who will be on the ground are engaged in training, and new arrivals are putting in every week. Among the better known thoroughbreds already here are Top Row, Heelfly, Tick On, Boxhorn, Today, Delphinium, Gossamer, Time Supply, Goldeneye, Manner's Man, and John Hay. Whitney's Irish colt, Open Door, among the two-year-olds.

Work on the major improvements, involving an expenditure of approximately \$1,000,000, is in the finishing stages. Continuation of the covered reinforced concrete and steel grandstand for the length of the homestretch will seat 20,000 and the alterations to the clubhouse, adding fifteen acres to the parking area, and general improvements will materially increase the facilities.

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## What A Girl Sees Ramblin' 'Round

By Marjorie Hesse

WE learned something new the other night at the Southern California Horticultural Society meeting at the Wistaria Vine Gardens . . . that there are green and blue roses! We have never seen such an astounding sight, but then botanically speaking we are exceptionally ignorant and it would not become us to doubt such weighty — no pun meant — authority. At the "no host" luncheon we were speaking to Mrs. W. T. McKee, only lately returned from San Francisco, and somebody told us that she had been a famous woman violinist in her day and appeared at a command performance before the Kaiser . . . She is also a cousin of the late A. W. ("Andy") Mellon . . . he of the aluminum and steel millions and the famous divorce.

We were astonished to learn from Monroe Kidder that a man by the name of Emory Smith first sponsored the perfume movement in California in 1885 . . . and had a tract of land devoted to experimental growing someplace between here and Arcadia . . . "Bill" Schwartz once studied at the Sorbonne in Paris and could speak French fluently but has forgotten most of it now, he says. There is a rumor about town that the Ray R. Hudsons are expecting a new model sometime in May . . . Mrs. R. E. Barrett looked so swank in her black tulle and fox furs the other day we didn't know her . . . and it is a problem to recognize some of our friends when they are dressed up . . . they look so different . . . Speaking of swankness, reminds me how grand Mrs. R. E. Pratt looked dining at the Wistaria Vine Gardens the other night, in a smart black and white ensemble topped by a chic hat . . . Mrs. Y. Okamoto was charming in a printed dinner frock with a white fur wrap, and Marjorie Nelson, the secretary of the Okamoto menage, in sapphire blue velvet . . . Mrs. Lawless wore black lace with an antique pin at her throat . . . And Randall Perry, the head gardener of the Vine, looked so slick we actually didn't know him . . . Mary Schwartz swathed in a fur coat talking to Myrna Cant in a filmy dinner dress outside in the chill night air and both averring they were comfortable . . . It seems we unwittingly provided the Okamoto household with a great deal of amusement by calling their visitor "Toga" instead of Koga . . . we were thinking in terms of Roman emperors, we suppose.

We had no idea Mr. R. C. Lewis had such a sense of humor until we heard him at the publisher's meeting where he made a great hit. Lee Shippey and Nadine Mason representing the Times attended as guests and when Lee extended the publishers an invitation to hold the next meeting at the Times plant they promptly accepted. We suspect Nadine of flashing her eyes around and being as responsible for the acceptance as Lee's homespun oratory . . . Were so amused at a recent meeting of an out-of-town society when the president's wife hen-pecked him and told him in loud whispers, leaning across the guest of honor to do so, when the guest of honor when to offer to bang the gavel when to offer a motion . . . and various orders, which the nice man patiently took without giving her a bat . . . as she so patently deserved. Dr. Lux tells an anecdote about Luther Burbank, who had a secret passion for color, and would make yearly pilgrimages to San Francisco to buy shirts by the dozens in loud patterns and designs which he took back to Santa Rosa and never, never wore . . . Upon his death they found drawer after drawer of gorgeous pink, blue and red shirts that had never been unpacked!

In his speech before the regional meeting of federated club women here last week, Rex Thompson, head of the county charities department, vigorously denied that aliens and foreigners are given preference in the matters of relief.

Speaking of the "fables" and old "traditions" that are constantly popping up he said, "The idea that aliens receive preferred attention when asking for charity, and more particularly Mexicans, can be refuted by a glance at the figures compiled last year. In 56,000 cases receiving family welfare less than 5 per cent were alien, and of that 5 per cent less than half were Mexicans!" The county cares for the unemployed only, and a confidential record is kept of each case that comes to them for assistance with a view of eventually collecting money paid out to indigents. Last year \$500,000 was collected at a cost of 19c on the dollar, Mr. Thompson stated.

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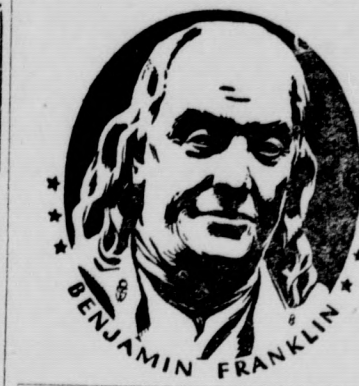
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The youths told police that they were passing by the old building on their way to visit a Sierra Madre boy and hearing the screams had stopped their car to investigate. As they got out of their car two cars of boys and girls parked outside the building were driving away, the boys said.

The youths were released when partial confirmation of their story had been obtained from a Sierra Madre youth.

## WELCOME NEWCOMERS TO SIERRA MADRE

Sierra Madre has welcomed to its environs the Andrew C. Lyles of 616 Holly Trail; Mrs. B. C. Pharoogn of 87 East Laurel avenue; Mrs. Estelle Segal of 211 North Lima street; Mrs. Marceda Shepherd, 65 East Laurel avenue; Mrs. R. E. Storms of 315 North Lima; Thos. H. Refoys of 177 Merrill avenue and the K. Barkers of 501 Woodland Drive.

Mrs. Mary Rosencrans of Los Angeles has moved to 299 West Grand View avenue. The W. E. Malotts of Los Angeles have taken a house at 158 East Grand View; Mrs. Elizabeth Heuser of Los Angeles is residing at 249 West Highland avenue, and the Donald H. Springers of Ocean Park are residing at 135 East Highland avenue. R. A. Mahan of the East has taken a house at 338 East Grand View avenue.

Father Sage says: Of all the things you wear, your expression is the most important.

## "SING SWEET ANGELS" AT THE PLAYHOUSE

"Sing Sweet Angels" Belford Forrest's laughable and spirited story, comes to the Pasadena Community Playhouse stage November 16th to the 20th, as an ideal inaugural to the 20th anniversary celebration. The celebration, which marks the completion of all of Shakespeare's plays at the Playhouse, will receive its official start with this play of the builder of the first playhouse, his son Richard and a young man named Will Shakespeare, all appear in the Forrest play of Elizabethan days.

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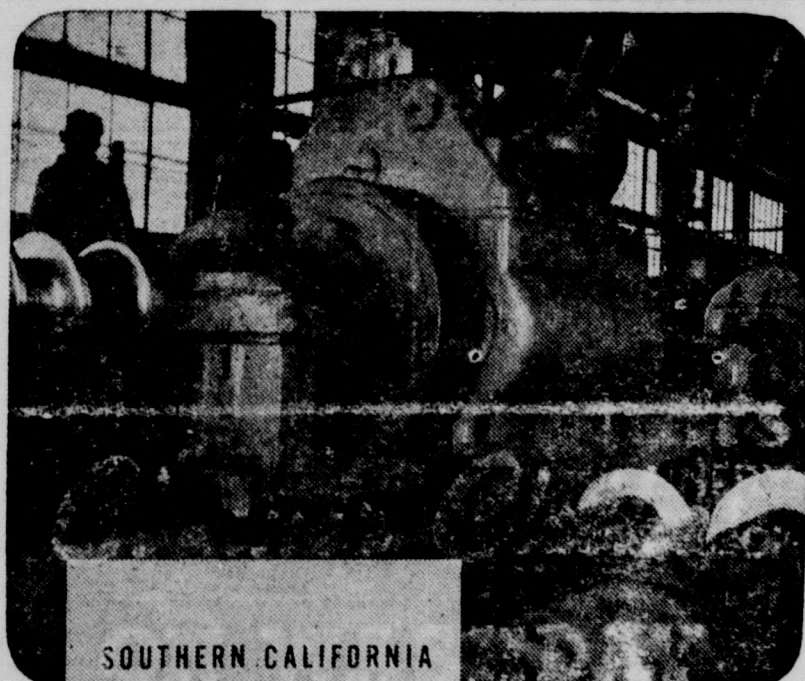
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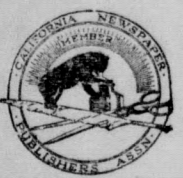


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The contrary things, praise, openings, the feeling of the greatness of my work, and my inability in relation to it, these things oppress and cast me down, but little hindrances—I'm not going to be cast down by trifles such as these. —James Hinton.

## STRANGE PEOPLE

Strange people, these Americans, or so it must seem to the newspaper readers in countries where the dictator reigns supreme!

Recently returning travelers from Europe bring with them strange tales of manufactured news which misinforms the Russians about the Germans, the Germans about the Russians, the Italians about the French—and misinforms all of them about the United States!

Observe some of the fantastic myths spun by the dictator-edited press. Newspapers in Italy have spread the story that every American who can afford it always travels with a bodyguard of one to ten men to protect himself from ever-present thugs and gunmen!

Another country which has been the target of shafts from the dictators' controlled press has been democratic France. Hapless readers, fed on the barren grist of manufactured misinformation, are told France is being ravaged by starvation and that its hunger-stricken populace has been driven to eating rats and mice!

America, so the Russians are informed, trembles on the verge of revolution, for living conditions, wages, and technology—the Russians are told—are so markedly inferior to Russia's!

This, however, is only a swift bird's-eye view of the amazing legends fostered by the dictators to make their people content with the poor bargain in government destiny has dealt them. In getting that bargain, newspapers have been deprived of their high estate as guardians of the truth and opponents of oppression.

That, of course, is not our concern, but to know of these things helps us treasure more deeply the freedom that is America's!

Drivers' licenses of only 522 motorists in California were revoked during September and 90 license holders were ordered to appear for re-examination, but anyone who gets around at all has seen thousands of others who never should have been allowed to drive a car.

## WHATS THE MATTER?

We've been wondering if perhaps it was our imagination that led us to suppose many clerks and taxi drivers, waiters and waitresses, and other people whose jobs are the same as ours—serving the public—were newly surly, unfriendly, unaccommodating or just plain high-hat on occasion. But there's so much comment on the situation that it can't be ignored.

Today, the big city taxi driver or waiter who makes you feel he enjoys serving you is in a class by himself; and a waitress' or shop-girl's smile—except for the grim frosty kind—is rare as a swastika.

What's the reason? Has labor's ascendancy gone to the heads of some of the boys and girls? Have we changed our good American philosophy that a job that's ours to do is always worth doing well? American workers are increasingly better off; their position is far superior to that of workers of any other country. We all have days when our jobs don't seem too gay, but that's no good reason to be so grim about it all.

These are times when the man who serves his public with a smile has little difficulty holding his job. His customers will return asking for that rare man, for in too many quarters good humor is at a premium, and gracefulness an almost unknown quality.

Crashing automobiles have yet to find a way to get around a few basic laws of physics. Which is another way of saying that the faster you go, the greater the chance for a fatal accident.

The...  
Watch Tower

By Perley Poore Sheehan

WE'VE been reading again that curious fine old novel of Algonquin Blackwood's called "The Centaur." Hard reading, perhaps, unless you're something of a nature-mystic, or at least a nature-lover, or have a bent that way. But worth the effort, in any case. Especially to anyone living here in Sierra Madre—so close to the mountains, so surrounded by poets. We wrote a letter once to Algonquin Blackwood telling him how much we loved his books—the only letter of that sort we ever wrote to anyone—and got his letter of thanks—in a handwriting small and strong, like Poe's.

OUR longing for books like his came back to us the other night at the Peterson's, in West Montecito, where the poets had gathered for another of their meetings. Poets from all up and down the San Gabriel Valley. Each with a poem, each poem read aloud by Lucia Trent, and each of the poems lit with new life. So that the general effect was that of a witch-fire, so to speak—a continuous flicker and flow of soft blue flame, sufficient to warm your heart and light up your own imagination. Until you were hearing Pan again and cloudy Centaurs formed a listening circle in the background—as in this Algonquin Blackwood story.

LET him carry on: "And then, while silence still held the room... flashed through him a memory of Fechner, the German philosopher who held that the Universe was everywhere consciously alive and that the earth was a living Entity, and that the World-Soul or Cosmic Consciousness is something more than a picturesque dream of the ancients... That's in 'The Centaur.' And at the side of the paragraph, in the margin, some earlier Sierra Madre reader has penciled a neatly written 'Yes.' It's in our Library.

THE longer we live in Sierra Madre the surer we are that no town we ever lived in held a higher percentage of poets. Not all of them writers of course, but poets none the less. For who are the poets, if not they that are kind, seek not their own, think no evil, rejoice in the truth, believe all things, hope all things, endure all things. Sometimes, late at night, when in our blundering, bewildered way we try to audit our account of secret and unsolicited donations to the St. Francis Park, we feel, actually, as if we must have died—unaware—and wandered into some better world.

THIS day, for example, two ladies arrived in a shining car; they'd brought us a bird-bath for the park. While they were still there—talking with pity about a friend of theirs who couldn't believe that birds and dogs went to heaven—along came a handsome young truckman, sent us by a kindly priest; and could we be using about ten truckloads of heavy clean sand for that new lane we were putting through? Ah, could we! The day before it was a dozen fine cleaners, red and pink. And so on back through the week—a gift of cash, a Chinese elm, the roofing for our new lych gate.

UNTIL, in all truth now, we could quote as our own the thought and the feeling if not the words of D. H. Lawrence: "Oh the great mystery and fascination of the unseen Shaper! Oh the miracle of the widespread laboring concentration swelling forth the fruit of a dream! We've shortened it a bit—we hope he won't mind. But when a friend asked us to write something here to speed the annual Red Cross drive in Sierra Madre we promised; yet fell to wondering. Sierra Madre somehow seemed to us to be all Red Cross, all the year. Still, maybe. The poor, we conceive, must have their Central Office—God's office, really. And that's what the Red Cross is.

SO we'll help the Red Cross too. You bet we will, all we can—like everybody else. Only, this year, we sort of hope—it's only a suggestion, you understand—that the kind good people who run the thing won't feel forced to print the amounts of the contributions, nor feel forced to print even the names of those who give. "John Doe, \$5; Jane Roe, 30 cents." You recollect, the widow who gave her mite; but we do know what the Lord thought about her. Besides, to come back to that First Corinthian paraphrase above, remember it was also written: "Charity vaunteth not itself, is not puffed up."

FROM Blackwood to poets, or vice versa—that seems natural. But from poets to charity, or vice versa—does that seem the bit of a strain? Let's quote Edwin Markham. Writing of "The Poet":

The toils of prophecy are his, To hail the coming centuries— To ease the steps and lift the load Of souls that falter on the road... And the dim path he breaks today Will sometime be—the trodden way.

The WEEKLY  
CONSTITUTIONAL

By MAX BERN

## Power for Mischief

Have we any protection against the danger of an all-powerful central government?

In his inaugural address in 1861, Lincoln said: "By the frame of the government under which we live our Constitution, this same people have wisely given their public servants but little power for mischief; and have, with equal wisdom, provided for the return of that little to their own hands at very short intervals."

Our Constitution divides our government into three independent branches, limits the power of each branch and provides that this power be "returned to the hands of the people" by periodic elections of Congressmen, Senators and the Executive. These stipulations cannot be altered by Congress or the Executive or the Courts, as our Constitution can be amended only by the people.

stitution can be amended only by the people.



In these ways, "we the people," in our Constitution, "give public servants but little power for mischief." Copyright 1937 by Max Berns



National Park Service figures for the year ending September 30 show that while visitors from other states flocked to California and established a banner tourist year, residents of this State were out on the open road to set a few travel records of their own. With the exception of the Pacific Northwest, where they were second to home visitors, Californians outnumbered vacationists from other states in the National Parks of the West.

Expenses of Santa Anita Park during the coming racing season will total \$2,710,000, or \$48,405 daily for the 56 days of racing according to estimates compiled yesterday by the Los Angeles Turf Club. Wages for more than 1500 employees will be the biggest item in the track's expenditures, with money distributed in purses a close second. It is estimated wages will amount to a total of \$825,000 compared with \$776,700 to be distributed in purses to winning horsemen.

Being a Hollywood movie star helps one foster some highly original ideas. Their exemption petitions show the rest of the world up as an unimaginative plodder when it comes to filing income taxes! Bing Crosby wanted \$707.02 exemption on his clothes. Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., asked \$341.25 in exemption for massages and physical training. Adolphe Menjou wanted to pare his \$1119 suit cleaning bill off his taxes. And there were many others besides these. But to nearly all the plaintiffs, the Department of Internal Revenue turned a deaf ear. The stars were ordered to pay their pence in full!

Cold-blooded facts and figures make good grist for the analysts and experts to chew on, but they tell us little about the human equation. And it's flesh and blood people who are ultimately the source of all the graphs, charts and surveys. It's reported by the census bureau that unemployment in California has been knifed 50 per cent in the last two years. This statement merely glosses over its deeper significance for California—the more stalwart

morale, the increased pride now infusing the thousands of its citizens who lost unemployment and found a job.

In a German tool factory, one described as the "industrial pride of the German government," the Duke of Windsor recently found that workers were earning 10 cents per hour—\$4.80 per week.

Dr. Osgood Hardy, of Occidental College believes the worst is yet to come for Japan in its effort to conquer China. "Trying to conquer China is like sticking your hand into a pail of water; when it is withdrawn no one would know it had been there," he said.

Broke and disillusioned, Harry E. Michal wrote a dismal note before he committed suicide in San Francisco the other day. "My friends have forgotten me. When I could wine and dine them, they remembered," it said. Lots of people have made the same discovery but didn't kill themselves over it.

The possibility that she would be the first woman to seek the governorship of California has brought a lot of publicity to Mrs. W. D. James, of Hanford. She has political ambitions, she admits, and rather high ones at that, but she definitely took herself out of the gubernatorial contest this week. "No, I'm not going to run for governor. But I may run for lieutenant governor, along with some good man. I could pull him a good vote," she said.

From all indications, the United States will have an import balance of trade, estimated at from \$30,000,000 to \$75,000,000 this year—for the first time since 1893. In view of the heavy load of farm products we intend to ship abroad, that development is not unfavorable.

Sales of American aircraft, airplane engines and parts, during the first six months of 1937, totaled \$49,450,000—a 53 per cent increase over the same period a year ago.

Gaddin' Around  
with  
BILL PEET

A feeling of awe invariably grips me when I have occasion to visit a cemetery. I felt that way Sunday morning as a group of public spirited Sierra Madreans did a good clean-up job with hoe, rake and pruning knives.

As a boy I was plumb scared any time a visit to a cemetery was suggested. As I grew older, I would rather walk five miles and pruning knives at our cemetery here.

One of the most beautiful cemeteries in the United States is at Arlington, our National cemetery just across the Potomac river from Washington where are buried famous war generals, admirals and statesmen and when I covered general assignments on the Washington Times I had to report many important exercises there. The feeling of awe was still strong within me, and during the burial service I was not only jittery, but fairly raced out after the preacher had said the final "Amen," and I wrote such terrible funeral stories that a hard boiled city editor threatened to fire me.

Sierra Madre's cemetery was frightfully run down and truly a reproach to such a fine community as this—until the boys volunteered to clean it up. Weeds and underbrush disappeared like magic, shrubs and trees were pruned, and dead branches of trees sawed off. Half the job has been completed and I am told that more volunteers will take hoe in hand and complete the task this Sunday. It is a fine thing to do and one that should win the appreciation of every loyal citizen.

As you motor down East Sierra Madre Blvd., and reach Santa Anita avenue in Arcadia there is the customary important boulevard stop sign, but on Hallock's right somebody with a perverted sense of humor yanked the sign up by the roots and tossed it onto the grass near the pavement.

Sunday the sign was still there. It occurs to me that Arcadia officials were frightfully negligent in not replacing the sign for so long a time for it is an important and quite dangerous intersection.

## FIVE SHORT SPORTS

The great Walter Johnson celebrated his fiftieth birthday and the tenth year of his retirement from baseball last Saturday. Five hundred fans gathered at a testimonial banquet for the great smoke-ball pitcher—a real sportsman and a gentleman.

Dortmouth, one of the strong football teams of the East, admits that it would accept a bid to play in the Rose Bowl New Year's Day.

Ned Ratsch, wrestling promoter who spent six years and made a lot of money in Honolulu, was a visitor in The News office Saturday.

One way to beat the U.S.C. Trojans is to stop Ambrose Schneider, former star at Pasadena J.C. That's how the Stanford Indians won the game last Saturday.

Rollin C. Lewis, our bank and Chamber of Commerce president sat in with the newspaper publishers at their Wistaria Vine Garden dinner-meeting Friday and seemed to enjoy the party a lot. Incidentally he was razzed by our publisher and took it like the good sport I think he is.

## TOWN PICK UPS

The Sierra Madre Merchants baseball team plans to hold a roller skating party on the night of the 24th and I'll be there.

The ball tossers are starting their season early... Art Johnson's flop-eared pooch "Toby" established a new record at the cemetery cleanup on Sunday. Art will tell you about it... Henry Olsen is celebrating the 50th anniversary of the Olsen Shoestore, one of our very earliest business enterprises. Glad to see Al Myers out and about after a seven day illness... Miss Emily Farrar, alert and snappy advertising gal for McBratney's Monrovia store, saves time going to and from work by coasting along on roller skates... Helps to keep that fine figure, too... The 3 o'clock P.E. street car did not arrive Sunday until 4 o'clock and then it was a bus. Breakdown somewhere... Mrs. Fox dragged me and many others in with her ad that she's selling chili at her Sierra News Stand. Good weather for a bowl of chili...

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

THE NEWS extends birthday greetings and its best wishes this week to the following Sierra Madreans, whose birthdays are indicated...

David F. Getts Jr.	Nov. 15
Arthur Pat West	Nov. 15
Alma Barnes	Nov. 16
Fred Cox	Nov. 16
Clarence Hunsinger	Nov. 17
Mrs. Theresa Vagar	Nov. 17
Ennice Albrecht	Nov. 17
H. Clay Reavis	Nov. 17
Roy Edwards	Nov. 19
Richard Williams	Nov. 19
Emily Polgreen	Nov. 20

URGES VOTERS TO BEWARE OF  
PETITION CIRCULATORSEconomist Likens Them To  
Stranger Demanding Signatures To Blank Check

IF a stranger suddenly accosted you on a street-corner, presented a blank check and asked you to sign on the dotted line—what would you do?

You might call a cop or summon an alienist.

You might lead with your left and cross with your right.

You might march by in high dudgeon, muttering, "What's the country coming to?"

But you certainly wouldn't sign. That's asking a bit too much—even in an era of "share the wealth!"

On the other hand, if the same stranger presented a petition to double your tax bill, there's a good chance you'd sign without hesitation.

And if the presumptuous fellow submitted a second petition revoking your right to equal representation in matters of government, you might again reach for your fountain pen and jot down your endorsement.

Preposterous! Perhaps, but nonetheless hundreds of thousands of California voters are just that preposterous every two years, signing petitions for scores of initiative proposals without knowing their contents. It's the political equivalent of signing a blank check—yet petition circulators boast that one out of every five voters will sign any petition submitted!

Voter carelessness in signing petitions for measures which would be disastrous to themselves and the entire community for the fact that other more cautious voters usually repudiate the dangerous proposals at the polls—is chiefly responsible for the ever-lengthening California ballot, loaded with 20 or 30 proposed initiative acts at each election.

The subject is of current importance because petitions either are in circulation, or will shortly be placed in circulation, for the ever-lengthening "Single Tax" Sales Tax Repeal Act, which would more than double the tax bills of homeowners, business men, ranchers and other common property taxpayers, and for the One-House Legislature proposal, which would deny rural California fair representation in the State Legislature.

Each of these proposals, to qualify for a place on the 1938 ballot, will require the signatures of 185,378 registered voters. It is a safe assumption that if every voter, when approached, looked on an initiative petition as a blank check—and took the trouble to read the terms of the agreement—both measures would fail to qualify.

But if history repeats itself, one out of five (far more than the

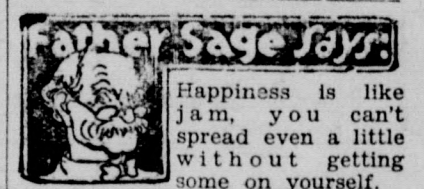
required number) will sign without question! And taxpayers, property owners and other persons endangered by such legislation will be compelled to spend thousands of dollars in voter-education campaigns to prevent their enactment. And many of the same voters who signed the petitions will complain, when they go to the polls on election day, that "the ballot is loaded with crackpot legislation!"

Perhaps it is worthwhile, just on the possibility that the ratio of one-out-of-five can be reduced—to list what the two proposals propose:

The "Single Tax" scheme, overwhelmingly beaten at many previous elections, is a modification of the old Henry George plan to make land carry the entire burden of taxation. It would repeal the state sales tax, which goes largely to the support of the public schools—and put the load on land. It would repeal the present constitutional provision limiting state taxes on land to 25 per cent of total appropriations. It would eliminate (over a ten-year period) all taxes on improvements and tangible personal property—again placing the burden on the land. In addition, it would repeal the use tax and the motor vehicle "in lieu" tax—and transfer this load to the farmer, homeowner and business man also.

The One-House Legislature proposal would abolish the State Senate—rural California's house in the Legislature—and give the cities complete dominance in all legislative matters. It would require that the farmer present himself in hand, to ask favors of city legislators, instead of making known his desires through his own duly-elected members.

When the stranger on the street-corner presents his petition during the coming weeks, read the title. It may be a blank check that will play hob with your bank account!



Happiness is like jam, you can't spread even a little without getting some on yourself.

You  
Deserve  
The Balance

Saving or not saving is simply a matter of paying less for the same quality.

When you pay less you keep the difference for yourself. It doesn't take long for such savings to add up to a neat sum. You might as well have that money. There are plenty of things you can do with it.

Every time a sale is rung up for you from the ads in this newspaper a saving is added up for you to keep in your pocketbook.

Editorial by  
Andy

## ALMANAC



Undertake no more than you can perform.

- NOVEMBER
- 12—Stock market collapsed in New York City, 1929.
  - 13—Texas proclaimed independence from Mexican rule, 1835.
  - 14—American Revolutionary troops reached Quebec, Canada, 1775.
  - 15—Brazil, the largest republic in South America, proclaimed a republic, 1889.
  - 16—Diplomatic relations renewed between the United States and Russia, 1933.
  - 17—The Suez Canal, built at a cost of \$100,000,000, opened, 1869.
  - 18—Standard time adopted in the United States by an Act of Congress, 1883.

Stuff'n' Dates  
By Ned Moore

ON THE MONUMENT ERECTED TO THE SOLDIER OF BATTLE, BENEDICT ARNOLD, THE HERO OF THAT BATTLE, WAS SEVERELY WOUNDED IN HIS LEFT LEG AND HIS MOUNT KILLED BY A WOUNDED GERMAN SOLDIER, AN AMERICAN TROOPER. WITH A BANG HE RUSHED UP TO DISPATCH THE ONE WHO HAD SHOT ARNOLD, BUT WAS WOUNDED BY ARNOLD'S SHOT. DON'T HURT HIM, HE'S A FINE FELLOW, WE SHOULD AGREE THAT THIS WAS THE MOMENT ARNOLD SHOULD HAVE DIED—A HERO. JOHN WATTS, A DEVIL, OF NEW YORK, HAD A MONUMENT ERECTED AT SARATOGA, AS HE COULD NOT RESIST THE NAME OF A TRAITOR HE WOUNDED THE NAMELESS HERO'S LEG.

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## TO LOS ANGELES

Take advantage of the present low railway fares on your trips to and from Los Angeles. It will pay to ride the Big Red Cars in your daily travels—it's the Thrifty Way... the most economical transportation service available. Note the extremely low trip rates when using one of the forms of Commutation Tickets.

Between Sierra Madre and Los Angeles

Form of Ticket	Cost of Ticket	Approx. Rate per Mile
ONE-WAY FARE	.35	35c
ROUND-TRIP FARE	.60	30c
MONTHLY PASS	10.50	20c
WEEKLY PASS	2.65	22c
10-RIDE TICKET	2.50	25c
60-RIDE TICKET	12.05	20c

(NOTE: Monthly Pass is based on 26 roundtrips, rate less if used more. Weekly Pass is based on 8 roundtrips, rate less if used more.)

PACIFIC Railway  
G. E. Mesecar, Agt.  
Sierra Madre Blvd.  
and Baldwin Ave.





WITH the richly-developed tones of Frank Kneeland's baritone voice filling the auditorium of the Sierra Madre Woman's club in the morning in his program of negro spirituals and music beginning from Louis 14th down to George Gershwin's "Porgy and Bess," and Mrs. G. Pennington of Hollywood discussing "Our Changing Universe" in the afternoon, local clubwomen feel they spent a most pleasing and enlightening day Wednesday.

"Man is not to know want, neither is he to labor in the new condition," declared Mrs. Pennington in her penetrating address. Taking the growth of a poppy, from the planting of the seed to its fulfillment, as her symbol, the speaker compared the unfoldment of man to this process.

Handling this intricate subject delicately and ably, she averred that only 92 per cent of the body is used now. The grandular and nervous systems have never been understood by man. If synchronization were thoroughly comprehended, the present chaotic conditions would be met in a different manner, she declared.

"That the last cosmic day has arrived, does not mean that this is the end of the world," said Mrs. Pennington. "It means that we are, simply, in the last habitation—that the monetary system will continue to be shaken to its very foundation, and that a perfect cosmic pattern will evolve out of the present conditions. Great teachers come when people need them most!"

Urging her audience to be open to the unfoldment and to try and understand where they should fit in, she concluded her enlightening remarks with the wish that

she had helped to make their lives a little sweeter.

Mrs. J. H. Robertson, Past Junior State Chairman of Juniors, was guest of honor at the dinner given in Federation headquarters by the California Federation of Women's Clubs, Los Angeles District Juniors on Monday evening. On Saturday Mrs. Robertson attended the third annual convocation of the Southern District Juniors held at Santa Ana in the Ebell clubhouse. She was present at their organization meeting three years ago in San Diego, too.

#### POPULAR FILMS AT ARCADIA THEATRE

"San Quentin," a gripping prison story and "Servant of the People" will be shown at the Arcadia theatre tonight and tomorrow. Commencing Sunday and ending Wednesday night two popular films are billed.

"On Such a Night," starring Karen Morley, Grant Richards and Roscoe Karma is the opening number. A popular flicker, light and frothy. This is followed by "Double or Nothing" with Bing Crosby absorbing the spotlight and Martha Raye sharing the honors. Others in the cast include Mary Carlisle, Andy Devine and Benny Baker. Crosby's croons have full play and he makes good use of his opportunities.

#### WINTER VISITORS ARE PILING IN

New arrivals at the Hotel Sierra Madre are John Forbes, Providence, R.I., and E. F. Myers, Los Angeles. Reservations starting December 1 are heavy according to the owner, Mrs. MacDougal. Local real estate agents also report an increasing demand and rapidly decreasing number of rental houses due to the near approach of the winter season and the racing season at Santa Anita.

## PTA Proud Of Conditions At School

Examinations Find Pupils Are All Well Nourished And Clothed

"Welfare conditions in the Sierra Madre grammar school are excellent, in fact there is only one child on the free hot lunch list so far this term."

That was the encouraging statement made by Mrs. Ruth B. Irish, president of the Sierra Madre P.T.A., which works hand-in-glove with the school officials.

Mrs. Irish said that the school authorities report the children as well shod and adequately clothed, and that strangely enough there is not the pressing need for aid that has always before existed at the school.

Children are carefully watched by the school nurse for signs of undernourishment. A chart is kept of each child's weight and if he falls below the required standard for his age he is promptly placed on the milk or hot lunch list. The parents pay for this service in most cases, but where a need exists and the parents are unable to pay, the P.T.A. assumes responsibility for the child. Mrs. Irish stated, out of the organization's welfare fund which is contributed directly or through the public's patronage of entertainments sponsored by the group.

## Study Of Pre-School Children Draws A Large Class

A study group for mothers of pre-school children is meeting now under the auspices of the P.T.A. each Wednesday from 9 to 12, with Mrs. William R. Smythe of 674 Manzanita avenue in charge.

The State Adult Education Department working with the Pasadena School District provides a trained leader to conduct the class. Pre-school children are used as laboratory material for scientific child study, and each mother keeps a diary recording facts observed about her child's interests and potentialities.

This class has attracted so much attention according to Mrs. Ruth B. Irish, president of the Sierra Madre P.T.A., that she plans to start another one for older children as soon as arrangements can be made for a leader.

All mothers are welcomed and may obtain information from the office of the principal or by contacting Mrs. Smythe over phone 200-4.

## Publish Newspaper At School Now As Part Of Routine

Publishing a newspaper is just one of the interests of the sixth grade pupils of Mrs. Mary S. Wheeler at the Sierra Madre grammar school where they are studying a "communications" project for the term.

The class has already made a telegraph set that actually works, according to Mrs. Wheeler, and is now busy building radio sets, a telephone system and several model airplanes.

A trip to the Los Angeles harbor district was planned but owing to strike conditions was postponed.

According to school officials the progressive system of education wherein each semester a class takes a certain country or project and as far as possible correlates all their school work to it, is working out splendidly.

Miss Dorothy Moots' third graders are busy as can be learning about Japan. Small fingers fly over brilliant kimonos and bright wooden clogs, and a series of water colors based on Japanese scenes has been finished and now decorates the school room.

The pupils accompanied by Miss Moots recently visited the Huntington estate to view the Japanese gardens.

## Install New Officers Of Veterans

Local V.F.W. Post Dedicates Itself To High Patriotic Purposes

Reiterating the ideals of the Veterans of the Foreign Wars, newly installed Commander William Schwartz of Sierra Madre Post 3208 in his speech accepting the office Monday night said the purpose of the organization was to maintain and extend the institution of American freedom, to foster true patriotism, and to preserve and strengthen comradeship among its members.

The installation was held at the Park House and Van W. Bishop, past commander of the County Council, officiated.

Inducted into office to serve with Commander Schwartz were Harry Holland, vice-commander; Ben Stinman, second vice-commander; Art Embree, quartermaster; Norman Jensen, adjutant; Roy Pickett, chaplain; Clarence Noshier, officer of the day; Colin Hill, guard; Thorne Mathis and J. W. Storm, color guard; Ralph Koon, sentinel; Colonel H. B. Hersey, patriotic instructor; John Ort, post advocate; and Art Embree and Ben Stinman, County Council committee.

Following the installation ceremonies refreshments were served and Jack Orwin, harmonica artist, and son of Orwin Shearer, entertained the crowd and brought down the house by playing foot-tapping tunes on a one-inch harmonica.

## Pasadena Roofing Co. Executive To Make Home Here

S. H. Smedley who has recently moved to Sierra Madre with his family and resides in Santa Anita Court, an official of Pasadena Roofing and Insulation Co. of Pasadena, states that his firm has just completed re-roofing its eighth house in this city. Pioneer-Flintkote products are used exclusively by this company. An employee of the firm is Howard Kindey, also of Sierra Madre.

## Bode Back In His Old Pulpit In England

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at 1, tea at 4, dinner at 8 p.m. when at home," writes the dean.

After that it is a veritable round of persons and places with cousins standing out against a countryside of sheep and shepherds, potatoes and Irish diggers, Suffolk punches, (a kind of horse) pigs, white pheasants, elms, limes, horse chestnuts, and rose gardens.

While in London, luncheon with a cousin, Nell Lawrence, who married one of the Lawrence's of India, at the Overseas Club in Piccadilly, was an enjoyable affair with five other cousins attending!

The dean dwelt upon the renewal of friendship with friends near Oxford who vividly remembered him after forty years' lapse. Preaching at the Church of St. John the Divine in London, where he first began as a clergyman, and telling the good people about the church in America, has been one of the dean's rich experiences across the water. The final lines upon an overnight journey to Henley Hall, in Nottinghamshire where he used to be Chaplain to the High Sheriff of Nottingham (successor to Robin Hood's sheriff!) are most arresting. Taking along only a zipper bag in the delusion that people lived more simply since the War, he found himself instantly divested of all his belongings by Charles, the new butler.

The account of how he gradually rescued the belongings one by one, from the intrepid Charles, is externally amusing, together with an interesting recital of meeting two of the original servants after forty-five years, and of receiving a message after bedtime from the Vicar of Harworth, who said he had read of the dean's death in the College annual register and thought it of sufficient importance to tell him about it.

M. C. B.

## Olsen Celebrates 50 Years In The Shoe Business

For half a century the Olsen shoe store, North Baldwin avenue, has been doing business in Sierra Madre, and Henry Olsen, present owner announces a 50th anniversary sale starting Saturday and continuing for one week when all merchandise will be offered for sale at a reduction of 10 to 20 per cent.

The store was founded in 1887 by Martin Olsen. In 1913 Henry Olsen, the present owner, assumed charge and is still actively engaged in carrying on.

"Fifty years in business is something of a record," declared Olsen. "My father started the store here and I learned the shoe business by long association with him. I have lived in Sierra Madre all my life."

Olsen was in the U. S. Navy during the World War, is active in the American Legion and takes a deep interest in all civic affairs.

## Father Of Business Man Here Laid To Rest In Los Angeles

Funeral rites were held Wednesday afternoon in Los Angeles for Morris Krushen, aged father of Perry Krushen, West Sierra Madre Blvd., businessman, who passed away Tuesday morning at the home of his son after an illness of 10 years. Interment followed in Los Angeles.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. A. Krushen, and several children besides his son Perry.

## WEBER ELECTED HEAD OF HOSPITAL LEAGUE

Joseph S. Weber of East Alhambra avenue has been elected president of the San Gabriel Valley League, a hospital organization which is carrying on a splendid work. The League was organized to provide ways and means for the maintenance of the Duarte Sanatorium and is non-sectarian. The San Gabriel unit comprises Sierra Madre, Pasadena, San Marino, Temple City, Arcadia and Monrovia.

## LATEST NEWCOMERS

Mrs. Marie Hartz is domiciled at 55 East Laurel avenue. The Fred Knoepkes are living at 355 North Baldwin avenue; the S. C. Treemans at 3 Belle Vue Court; Mrs. J. Beeman at 60 Auburn avenue; the L. A. Dudley at 383-A West Sierra Madre Blvd., and the O. B. Millers at 181½ East Montecito avenue.

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The desert, with all its allure, wove its spell around Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shippey and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stracks (Lillian) of Pasadena, who with Sylvia and Frank Shippey drove out to Twenty Nine Palms on Sunday for an all-day jaunt and dinner.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles A. Wayland have returned from a month's visit to Long Beach and are happily ensconced in their newly-remodeled bungalow at 153 Hermosa avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Ketchum and little son Phillip, formerly of 282 San Gabriel Court, have returned to Denver Colo.

Friends of Mrs. Sidney L. Wolff of No. 3 Carter avenue will be sorry to hear that she has given up her home here to reside in Pasadena, leaving on Tuesday. Affiliations with the Woman's Club and her church, Temple Beth Israel, are retained, however. Business interests in Arizona call Mr. Wolff there for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Smith of 609 West Sierra Madre Blvd., were dinner-hosts on Sunday to the newlyweds, their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Smith, who have just moved into their Los Angeles home at 4375 Camero avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hornstra and Mr. and Mrs. Crosby of Avon, S.D., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McAndrew of 311 North Auburn avenue recently, coming from the Postal convention in San Francisco, returning via Boulder Dam and the Grand Canyon.

Mrs. Lowell Trimbel of Pasadena, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Trimbel of 558 Mariposa avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren O. Preston of 503 West Montecito avenue spent Sunday with the latter's father, Mr. A. A. Sherman of Belflower and Mrs. George Preston in Harbor City.

Miss Marjorie Adams of Fergus Falls, Minn., a former winter resident, arrived Wednesday and is domiciled in Mrs. John Lowe's apartments on Carter avenue.

Mrs. M. R. Englander of 642 N. Auburn avenue and her son, Herman, with a group of Los Angeles friends attended the opening of the brilliant winter season of Philharmonic concerts Thursday evening. On Monday evening they will also attend, with friends, the performance of "Tristan and Isolde," given by the San Francisco Opera Company at the Shrine Auditorium.

Mrs. J. M. Crowell of Long Beach is spending this week at The Roost, 698 Sunnyside Lane.

Mrs. E. A. Cadmus, 601 Woodland drive, attended the golden wedding celebration of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ashley, in Long Beach on Thursday.

Miss Kay McKay of Miami, Florida, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Marie Rhodes and family of 305 North Mt. Trail avenue. Miss McKay will remain until the first of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis P. Conard of 33 West Mira Monte avenue were guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. Chamberlain of Los Angeles last Thursday. An interesting trip was made to the airport.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin West Morris of Azusa were Sunday night supper guests of Mrs. Clara H. Bolms, and the Misses Rosalie and Josephine Curtis of 56 West Mira Monte avenue, after a drive through the Arroyo Canyon, Pasadena, and over the lands owned by the Morris family of Altadena.

Mrs. Flora Mankin of North Long Beach has rented Minerva Boatright's cabin on Brookside Lane.

Fire problems are the subject of a never ending study by Sierra Madre fire fighters so Assistant Chief George Norris and Secretary Joe Swanson attended the first meeting of the season of the Angelus Protective Association at San Dimas Tuesday evening.

"Bob" Thomas, model airplane builder and son of Mr. and Mrs. Eber Thomas, 770 Canyon Crest Drive, is catching up on his back reading while confined to his home recovering from a torn ligament suffered recently in a gym scuffle at Woodrow Wilson Junior high school.

Mrs. Waverly Pratt of Grove street was guest of honor at the banquet given at the First Methodist Church in Los Angeles on Monday evening. Mrs. Elizabeth Morgridge Mills and husband, John Harlow Mills were the musical artists, both receiving enthusiastic response from the audience.

Mrs. Philips Edson, Pasadena lecturer, will address the P.T.A. in the grammar school auditorium next Thursday at 2:30 p.m., according to Mrs. John Woehler, program chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hull with their daughter, Miss Cynthia Hull of 540 West Montecito avenue, have just returned from a week's visit to the home of their son, Charles Hull at Kingman, Ariz., made during Miss Cynthia's vacation.

Miss Verna Jones of 241 East Sierra Madre Blvd., has returned from an eastern trip bringing with her a cousin, Miss Agnes Kassner of Oak Park, Ill., who will remain until Thanksgiving; and Mrs. Rose Wade of Excelsior Springs, Mo., who will make her

home in the Southland. They made side trips to the Grand Canyon and Boulder Dam.

Miss Daisy Hawks of 50 East Grand View avenue left over the weekend for a ten-day visit in Santa Barbara with friends.

Mrs. Frank Butler of West Alameda avenue, and Mrs. J. H. Robertson of 371 Adams street, attended the Presidents' Council at the Shakespeare Club in Pasadena on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Osterhout, recent purchasers of the Santa Anita Riding Academy, moved to Arcadia Wednesday afternoon to reside permanently.

Mrs. Josephine E. Marr of 204 East Sierra Madre Blvd., spent an enjoyable weekend with relatives at San Diego.

Miss Dorothy Moots of 689 West Sierra Madre Blvd., was a Westwood Hills visitor over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Bell of Longdon avenue, Altadena, are the proud parents of a seven-pound-four ounce daughter, Roberta Ann.

Miss Ella De Vellier of New York City will be a house guest of several months at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Hamilton of 585 West Grand View avenue. Miss Daisy Fulwiler of Santa Ana, was a week's guest of the Hamiltons recently.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Earl Gossard of West Mariposa avenue, spent the weekend with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Rulon Smith of Taft, Cal. Mr. Smith is head of the Social Science department of the Taft Jr. College. Their house guests from the east have left for their various destinations.

Major and Mrs. G. W. P. Money of 73 East Laurel avenue have returned from their summer sojourn at Redondo Beach.

Turning back several pages of history last Friday evening, Mrs. Gladys Albright, Mrs. Keene, Mildred C. Bolms, and Marilyn Albright of Sierra Madre, sat around the cozy fire in the ancient living-room of the preserved Gen. Fremont home in Olivera street, after partaking of a Mexican supper and touring the quaint old-world shops.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Bishop and new baby, Barbara Dale, who formerly resided at 56 W. Mira Monte avenue, have moved to Santa Ana where Mr. Bishop will be engaged in business.

Among those who partook of the opportunity to hear Dr. A. Th. Polyzoides of the University of So. Cal. give his illuminating dissertation upon "Mussolini visits Hitler—Why?" at Pasadena Jr. College on Tuesday evening under the auspices of the Patrons' Association of P.J.C. were Miss Elizabeth Steinberger, Mrs. B. L. Hinkley, Mrs. William Ralph Smythe, Mrs. Newman, Miss Helen Wones, Mrs. Gladys Albright, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wilson, and Mildred Curtis Bolms.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Paonessa of W. Mira Monte avenue were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Catull at their lovely orange ranch in Cucamonga.

—Mildred Curtis Bolms

#### AUDUBON SOCIETY TO HOLD MEETING HERE

Pasadena Audubon Society will hold its semi-annual bird walk in Sierra Madre Canyon, Wednesday, November 17, according to Mrs. Ethel Whitfield, leader. During its last session here members of the society found 52 species of birds in Sierra Madre's mountainsides and canyons.

#### CALIFORNIA FILMS AT WASHINGTON THEATRE

"The Californian," a picture of historical interest and depicting the early days of this state is one of the feature films at the Washington Theatre, Lake and Washington streets, Pasadena, today and tomorrow. Ricardo Cortez plays the leading role. The companion piece is "Mr. Dodd Takes the Air" with Alice Brady and Kenny Baker.

Starting Sunday and continuing through to Thursday will be shown "Paradise Isle" starring Movita and Warren Hull to be followed by Bing Crosby and Martha Raye in the popular flicker "Double or Nothing."

#### OBITUARY

##### REV. THOMAS P. COOK

Rev. Thomas P. Cook was interred Monday afternoon at Forest Lawn following funeral services held at the Hartzell Memorial Methodist Church in Lamanda Park.

The aged clergyman passed away last Thursday morning at his home at 542 Manzanita avenue following a three months' illness. He was 89 years old, a native of Pennsylvania. The greater portion of his life was spent in active service as a minister of the Methodist church in Colorado. He retired in 1907 and has resided continuously in Sierra Madre for the past 18 years.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary E. Cook, and three daughters, Mrs. Luona Rolse of Tulare; Mrs. Margaret Dove of Sierra Madre and Mrs. Olive Wilson of Colorado.

#### Newspapermen From Far And Near Hold Session Here

Newspaper publishers from as far as Kingsburg attending a meeting of the San Gabriel Valley Unit of the California Newspaper Publishers Ass'n at the Wistaria Vine Gardens Friday night at which the local unit elected officers. While Jose Arias and his celebrated California troubadours, hidden in the shrubbery, played and sang soft Spanish airs the guests admired the beautiful grounds and the cascade chrysanthemum show.

Franklin W. Collins, president of the San Gabriel Valley Unit, had L. R. Goshorn, publisher of THE NEWS as host, introduce speakers before a business session and Mayor Reavis and Rollin C. Lewis, president of the Chamber of Commerce, welcomed the visitors. Dr. G. P. Lux, of the California Horticultural Society told them about the plan to establish the perfume and spice industry in Southern California on a large scale. John B. Long, general manager of the Publishers' Association; Marc Goodnow, of the U.S.C. School of Journalism; Lee Shippey, Perley Poore Sheehan and others were introduced. The publishers accepted Lee Shippey's invitation to hold their next meeting in the Los Angeles Times building.

#### City's Snappy New Folder Is Ready

Sierra Madre's snappy new folder, furnished by the NEWS for the Chamber of Commerce, is ready for delivery. Chamber directors and others who have seen the publication are loud in its praise. Done in sepia it is 9 by 16 inches, profusely illustrated with pictures of homes, gardens, recreation and educational centers and a concise story about the climate, cultural and other advantages of Sierra Madre. President R. C. Lewis of the Chamber of Commerce announced yesterday that beginning Monday, a limited number of the folders will be available at the Sierra Madre Savings Bank and at the office of THE NEWS for local citizens who may wish to mail them to friends in distant cities.

#### Flaws In Pasadena's Suit To "Hog" Water Supply

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acre feet could be raised many thousands.

In order to give you an idea of the gravity or tunnel waters used in 1937 to date — Sierra Madre, out of a total use of 100.9 acre feet, 48.9 acre feet was tunnel or gravity water; and since the pump water, 51.73 acre feet was pump water, it gives you some idea of the total amount of water consumed or used from north of the Raymond Dyke.

Pasadena does not make clear in its complaint what it proposes to do with tunnel or gravity water. The writer is wondering if this 14,600 acre feet is exclusive of tunnel or gravity water. Pasadena is securing approximately 3,000 acre feet of tunnel or gravity water that is not mentioned in its complaint.

I wonder if Pasadena is trying to reserve 14,600 acre feet of pump water, plus this 3,000 acre feet or total of 17,600 acre feet instead of 14,600 acre feet? Or is it suing for 11,600 acre feet of pump water plus 3,000 acre feet of tunnels or gravity water.

If you don't believe that Pasadena really means business, the following is a quotation from the Pasadena Star News of November 2, 1937, over the signature of Harold P. Huls, City Attorney of Pasadena:

"... In order to preserve the usefulness of the Raymond basin as an economic source of water supply and ground water storage, it is necessary that the combined pumping of all users from the basin be reduced, by approximately one-third. This would bring the drafts on the basin to the safe yield and the ground water levels would be stabilized so that in the average over a long period of years such levels would return to near the present levels."

"It is essential that this serious overdraft on the basin by all parties causing the same should be stopped. This can be done by all parties reducing their overdrafts proportionately."

According to this statement of Mr. Huls it would appear that Pasadena is willing to curtail its production by pumpage along with the defendants in the suit. However, this is not borne out by the complaint itself, since in its complaint Pasadena wants to be assured of 14,600 acre feet more or less according to how you treat the tunnel water.

In a previous article I made the statement that the Metropolitan water would cost the City of Pasadena twice as much as the water pumped from the underground basin. Apparently it costs five times as much and I wish to correct this apparent understatement. The following is an alleged statement made by Morris S. Jones, chief engineer of the Pasadena water department before the Metropolitan Business Men's Association and reported in the November 3rd issue of the Pasadena Post:

"Water pumped from wells in Pasadena costs the city just one-fifth as much as it will cost to buy it from the Metropolitan Water District."

(To Be Continued)

#### WANT ADS

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##### 'Mum' Show To Be Annual Event Here

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movement to bring the perfume industry to Southern California, speaking before the dinner meeting of the Southern California Horticultural Society, Saturday night, at which more than sixty members were present, told the group of the potentialities of the industry.

In his opinion there is no country in the world so capable of carrying on this industry as the United States, and that Southern California has the perfect soil and climate for growing perfume flowers and medicinal herbs.

"We are now importing 400 different varieties of drug plants into this country, that can and should be grown right here in Southern California," he said.

Predicting a business eventually worth \$500,000,000, he said plans for the industry were as perfectly laid out by the committee as the plans for the San Francisco bridge were by the engineers, and that a meeting would be held soon at which these plans would be presented.

Dr. George P. Lux, president of the society, presided over the meeting and introduced Y. Okamoto, who spoke briefly on the history of the chrysanthemum in Japan, where it is the crest of the Imperial household, and is said to symbolize the virtues of womanhood.

Judges for the show were Mrs. A. R. ("Teg") Jewell, Miss Edna B. Ketchum and C. Jacques Hahn. Sierra Madreans who captured prizes were Mrs. C. Nomura, who placed second in the amateur division with her cascade "mums," and Mrs. Herman Hall, who placed third. Mrs. C. Nomura also won a first for the best red, and a second for the best bronze in the same class.

Mrs. Fred Wilcox placed second in the cut "mums," and first in the single "mums." Dr. Krebs first in the group of 12 stock cut mums; Mrs. C. M. Hill, first in the basket arrangements of cut mums, and Mrs. George Poulter, second in the same group.

Mrs. Henrietta Isaacs won first and second for her dahlias; and Miss Anna L. Whitehead first in the rose division with a group of three; Mrs. George Daily was first in the single blossom division. Mrs. J. S. Billheimer, second in the Tithonia group of 24. Alyce Anderson, first and Mrs. Woodson F. Jones, second, in the unusual vase arrangements. Sierra Madre Junior Woman's Club carried off first in the dining table arrangement and Mrs. Hazel James Ferguson, first and Mrs. R. H. McCullagh second in the luncheon table arrangement, with Mrs. Hazel James Ferguson, second.

Special awards included Mrs. Elmer Mason for her succulents and cacti; Albert Wheeling for coleus and begonias; Mrs. C. Nomura, special arrangement of cascades; Mrs. J. S. Billheimer with a basket tithonia and Mrs. George Daily with a potted belleperone received honorable mention.

Inquiries every day. They will increase steadily as winter visitors and folks connected with or interested in the racing season arrive. They are making reservations now. If they can't be accommodated in Sierra Madre they will go elsewhere. You'll be surprised at the results to be had from a NEWS WANT AD.

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The Pasadena classes are conducted at Muir Tech, 1905 Lincoln avenue. One of them is an afternoon class, on Mondays, 3 to 5. The other three are evening classes held each Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, 7 to 9. There are no prerequisites except for the Monday evening class, which is limited to graduates of the other classes. The class here each Thursday gives chief attention to poetry, all the others to prose, featuring fiction. Mrs. Cheyney has had extensive journalistic and editorial experience, had a play produced successfully, taught creative writing for a dozen years. Her prose writings appear in more than a dozen books.

Sixty poets and poetry-lovers and creators in other fields thronged the lovely home of Mrs. I. F. Petterson, 565 West Montecito, Thursday night, November 5th, and enjoyed a most exhilarating evening. The occasion was the monthly meeting of the Foot-hill Poets following one of Mrs. Cheyney's classes. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rumball, of 153 North Lima street, spoke instructively on Chinese poetry, showing deep knowledge of Chinese culture. They showed that in China ability to create poetry is a requisite for almost every position of trust and respect. The evening was crowned with a social hour.

Many visitors from Pasadena, Altadena, Riverside and other cities were present. The guests included Mesdames Al Myers, Sylvia Quittner, Bertha Rolfe, Josephine E. Mary Maira Craig, Jean Rasey, Irene Waage, head of the Pasadena Writers' Club, Florence Bakman, Leigh S. High, Nesby Round, Elenore Patterson, Irene Merz, Ida Clemens Tuma and Mildred P. Henry, Misses Rose White, Betty Schermerhorn, Merle Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Perley Poore Sheehan, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie B. Wynne, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Ward, Mr. and Mrs. John Collier, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Dewey, Mr. and Mrs. Cole, Nouredin Addis, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Dodge, the last named until recently president of the Riverside Writers' Club.

#### Series Of Bookchats Over Teacups Is Planned Here

Bookchats over teacups with eminent authors and reviewers will be an interesting feature of a series of Saturday afternoon teas in the Foothill Bookshop by George Pearson and Frank Moore.

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